



CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA  
COMMUNITY FOUNDATION



2023 ANNUAL REPORT



*Clockwise from top left:*

*Volunteers help the Courage for Kiera Foundation sell delicious treats at the 2023 Yard and Bake Sale.*

*City of Altoona Fire Department's Honor Guard presentation of the colors at 2023 Flag Day.*

*Volunteers sell AASD Fight for a Cure t-shirts for the Brian Morden Foundation at the AAHS Gold Ribbon football game.*

*Little ones enjoying their time with the Because We Care Foundation Bear at COCO with the PO-PO event.*

*Redd Up Altoona Volunteers during UPMC Altoona Clean Up.*





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# CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION



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## Mission

The Central Pennsylvania Community Foundation manages charitable giving by helping donors achieve their goals, while maximizing the impact of each gift.

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## 2023 Board of Directors

Nancy Devorris, *Chairperson*  
Matt Garber  
Michele Haas  
Barry Halbritter  
Allan Hancock, *President*  
Gail H. Irwin  
Craig Kilmer  
Michael Kranich, Sr.  
Marty Marasco  
Patty McGraw

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Lisa Michelone  
Neil Port  
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Ben Yeager  
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## Past Directors

Ann Benzel  
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Charles Dillen\*  
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Rex Hershberger\*  
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Rex Kaup\*  
John Kazmaier\*  
Shirley Long\*  
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David Miller  
Pat Miller\*  
James Moran  
Robert Packer  
Rick Reeves

William Rossman\*  
Robert Scholl  
John Schraff  
Sylvia Schraff  
Dr. James Scott  
Maureen Smithe\*  
Len Whiting\*  
Donald Wissinger\*  
Andrea Ward Zupon  
\*Deceased





# GREETINGS!

As we embark on our 29th year, it is incredible to look back on some of our accomplishments since March 24, 1995. We are so proud to have presented over 2,000 scholarships. Whether the scholarship is in memory of or in honor of someone, we are helping the youth in our community work toward a brighter future. We enjoy working with the Altoona Mirror, as we have done since 2004, bringing the community together to support a cause through the Season of Sharing. We love meeting the needs of organizations like the Nason Foundation who needed an administrator for their funds, and we have been thrilled to do so since 2015. We appreciate helping donors with their estate

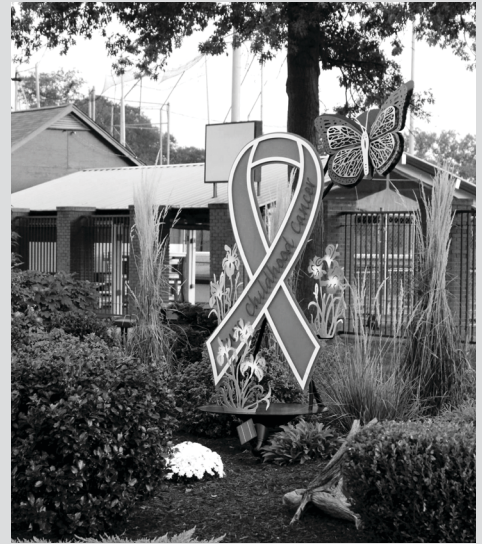
planning so that when they are no longer with us, they know that their favorite charities can still be funded in perpetuity. We take joy in the competitive grant process where the charitable organizations of Blair County can ask us for what they need. This program exists thanks to monies that became part of the Community Foundation in 2001 from the Altoona Foundation, which was founded in 1924 by a group of visionaries who established funds simply to perpetually help our community.

Individuals, families and businesses are able to make a difference through this philanthropic vehicle – our Community Foundation. As you have just read, there are so many different ways to be a catalyst for positive change. Paying it forward or giving back, we have all needed some help along the way. We are so fortunate to live in such a generous community where Health and Social Services, Culture, the Arts, Economic Vitality, Religion and Education matter. Would you like to make a difference? A lasting impression? Help others long after you are no longer living? We can help you answer yes to all of those questions. You can make a positive impact in our community!

We will never fully be able to thank our donors enough for all of these successes they have accomplished in our community so we will simply say THANK YOU once again. You haven't yet become part of the Community Foundation? Now is the time to join us. Ralph Waldo Emerson said "To know even one life has breathed easier because you have lived. This is to have succeeded." So, we will just ask, are you ready to help even just one person?

Allan G. Hancock  
President

Jodi L. Cessna  
Executive Director





# ABOUT US

Originally called the Greater Altoona Blair County Community Endowment, the Foundation became a 501(c)3 on March 24, 1995.

The year 2000 was a year of significant firsts for the CPCF. Perhaps the most impactful was the creation of the first corporate endowment by the McLanahan Corporation. By the end of 2000, the organization reached its first million dollars in assets under management.

The dedication and passion of many community-minded residents helped the organization flourish in its early years.

A significant milestone in the CPCF's history, the Altoona Foundation became part of the Community Endowment in 2001. Judge Thomas Peoples signed the petition to transfer the funds from the Altoona Foundation, founded in 1924, into the Community Endowment.

One of the Foundation's most successful and long-standing partnerships is with the *Altoona Mirror*. Each December since 2004, the *Mirror* and CPCF have been collaborating during the Season of Sharing campaign. Annually, one local organization is highlighted as the recipient of increased awareness and financial gifts as part of the campaign.

In 2015, the Nason Foundation hired the CPCF to administer their Foundation. In 2016, a \$3.4 million gift, the largest to date, was received.

Over the years, the Foundation has continued to grow and prosper. With funds, scholarships, grants, and donors increasing every year. With great pride, the CPCF celebrated its 25th anniversary on March 24, 2020.

*1998—First scholarship, Ardie J. Dillen Memorial Scholarship, awarded to Matthew Langguth.*

*2000—McLanahan Corporation created the first corporate endowment.*

*2000—Officers of the Board: Len Whiting, Gerald Wolf, Allan Hancock, Nancy Devorris, John Kazmaier & Ann Benzel*

*2020—25th Anniversary Proclamation from the City of Altoona's Mayor Matthew Pacifico.*

*2022—Allan Hancock gifted the CPCF a new building.*





# FUNDS

As of December 31, 2023



## Designated Funds

Altoona Railroaders Memorial Museum Fund  
Anonymous Fund  
Harry Bennett Endowment Fund  
Bicentennial Fund  
Boy Scout Programs Support Fund Created by the W.S. Lee Family  
Joel F. Brown Southern Huntingdon County School District Track Fund  
Cathedral Preservation Fund  
Center for Adoption Education of Central Pennsylvania  
Central Pennsylvania Humane Society Fund  
William K. Flora, Jr. Memorial Fund  
Gloria Gates Memorial Foundation Endowment Fund  
Gospel Hill Flag Fund  
Isaacs Foundation  
Nellie E. (Shannon) & James M. Long Memorial Foundation  
Magee Family Foundation  
Mishler Theatre Preservation Foundation  
Penn State Altoona Fund  
The Scouting Cold Weather Survival Fund Created by the W.S. Lee Family  
Scouting Fund for Emergency Preparedness in the Community Created by the W.S. Lee Family

The Scouting High Adventure Promotion Fund

Established by Walter J. Lee III

Scouting International Fund Created by W.S. Lee Family

Sister Paula Soup Kitchen Foundation

Donna and Gene Tyler Family Foundation Scholarship

## Donor-Advised Funds

10M Hearts (10,000,000 Hearts)

911 Anniversary Fund

A Blade of Grass (1 Peter 1:24-25) Fund

A Darrah Bull Bully Rescue Fund

African American Heritage Project of Blair County

Altoona Blair County Historical Preservation Fund

Altoona English and Culture Club Fund

Altoona Fairview Cemetery Historical Foundation

The Altoona Fire Department Arson K9 Unit Foundation

Altoona Football League Foundation

Altoona Has Hustle – Improving our Neighborhoods

America250PA Blair Fund

Officer Chris Amerine Memorial Foundation

Anderson Donation Fund

The Arc of Blair County Dean Santella Fund

The Arc of Blair County Fred and Patricia Young Children's Fund



Lisa Meyers Audet Foundation  
 BBBS Bicycle Project Funds  
 Because We Care Foundation  
 The Robert J. & Lori A. Beck Education Scholarship  
 John & Ann Bender Family Foundation  
 Adolph Benzel Memorial Fund  
 Syra Bettwy Fund  
 Lance Bettwy-Gottshall Fund  
 Mary M. Bigelow-Sleek Scholarship Fund  
 Blair County Civic Music Foundation  
 Blair County Multi-Disciplinary Investigative Team (MDIT)  
 Blair County Sheriff's K-9 Foundation  
 Blair Emergency Services Chaplain Platoon Fund  
 Blair Type 1 Diabetes Foundation  
 Bob's Beds Foundation  
 Bookworms Against Bullies Fund  
 David D. Brozgal Memorial Fund  
 Cape Fear Family Foundation  
 Central Pennsylvania Community Foundation  
 Board of Directors Memorial Scholarship  
 Central Pennsylvania Community Foundation  
 Operating Fund  
 Central Pennsylvania National Guard & Veteran's  
 Association Foundation  
 Joseph Chonko Charitable Trust  
 (Joseph's Remote Outreach)  
 Travis Chuff Fund  
 Clymer Civic Association Fund  
 Colonial Courtyard Foundation  
 Cooney Family Trust in Memory of Patrick J. Cooney  
 The Harold & Betty Cottle Family Fund  
 Courage for Kiera Foundation  
 Cove Adoptive Families Scholarship Fund  
 Cove Cause for Cancer  
 Coxon Family Foundation  
 James and Kathryn Crawford Memorial Scholarship Fund  
 Detwiler Family Foundation  
 Don & Lynnea Detwiler Family Foundation  
 Devorris Downtown Enhancement Fund  
 Devorris Family Charitable Fund  
 Jane Felty Dillen Endowment for the Arts  
 Sarah Donley Sharing is Caring Fund  
 Eternal Flame Tyrone Foundation  
 Herb Faris Tennis Fund  
 Farming2Freedom  
 Helen Faust Fund  
 Daniel and Karen "Park" Ferut Fund  
 Ryan T. Flegal Memorial Foundation  
 Mikayla "Mick" Focht Memorial Scholarship  
 The Fort Roberdeau Foundation  
 Found and Favored Ministries Fund  
 Vince Frank "Big V" Scholarship Fund  
 Frazier Family Foundation  
 John J. Gallace Memorial Scholarship

Earl L. Garber Family Foundation  
 Stephen Chandler Gates Foundation  
 Gearbox Union Foundation  
 Gilbert-Snyder Foundation  
 Donna G. Gority Scholarship Fund  
 John F. Gority Veteran Service Fund  
 Grace of God Academies Fund  
 Chester E. Grannas Family Foundation  
 John B. Gummo Memorial Foundation  
 Guts & Glory Foundation  
 Barry & Marlene Halbritter Foundation  
 The Hancock Group Employees & Associates Foundation  
 Allan G. Hancock Family Foundation  
 Hetrick Family Foundation  
 David & Janet Hileman Family Foundation  
 John & Delores Hillard Family Foundation  
 Zack Hinich Foundation  
 Evelyn Anderson Hite Memorial Foundation  
 The Jane & Lee Hite Family Trust  
 Hollidaysburg Fund  
 Horseshoe Mountain Bike Trails Fund  
 Huntingdon County Community Foundation  
 Huntingdon Police Foundation  
 Fred & Joann Imler Fund  
 Michael & Gail Irwin Family Foundation  
 Betty James Foundation  
 Eugene "Mitch" Johns Memorial Fund



John P. & Deedra M. Kazmaier Family Trust  
 Gregory S. & Beth A. Keller Family Foundation  
 Christopher P. Kopac Entrepreneurial  
 Scholarship Foundation  
 Kranich Family Foundation  
 Lakemont Park Naturescape Foundation  
 Lakemont Park's "Lighting Up Lives" Fund  
 Daniel and Donna Lane Family Foundation  
 The Learning Fund  
 George Lehman Music Education Fund  
 Norma A. Lestochi Memorial Fund  
 John Lloyd Family Fund  
 Dick Logan Legacy Foundation  
 Jeff & Vikki Long Family Foundation  
 Lisa & John Mancinelli Foundation  
 Robert G. and Sharon A. Mardula Charitable Foundation  
 Renee Riccio McCutchan Memorial Foundation  
 Richard L. McEldowney Memorial Fund  
 McLanahan Corporation Endowment Fund  
 James V. & Margaret B. Meadows Family Memorial Fund  
 Robert D. Mierley Family Foundation  
 Mifflin/Juniata Community Foundation  
 The Patrick M. Miller Economic Growth Fund  
 The Anthony Misciagna Fund  
 Brian Morden Foundation  
 Falon Marie Morris Foundation  
 Mountain Lion Backpack Program  
 The Muccitelli Family Foundation  
 Murals Talk Foundation  
 Amerigo P. and Ann T. Musto Memorial Scholarship  
 Natalie Racing for Kids Foundation  
 Null Family Foundation  
 David O'Connell Memorial Fund  
 Oak Ridge Cemetery Foundation  
 M.C. & J.W. Oakes and Joanne O. Tomb Charitable Fund  
 S. Jean Ofiesh Art Fund  
 Operation Small Steps  
 Olga M. Orr Memorial Library Fund



Our Wish of Central PA  
 The Park Family Foundation  
 Jane Patterson Kazmaier Lower Endowment  
 Marjorie J. Pennington Memorial Scholarship  
 Corey Joshua Pentz Memorial Foundation  
 Neil & Marilyn Port Family Fund  
 PositiviNay Foundation  
 George Pote Family Foundation  
 Prospect Pool Fund  
 Michael Ratzesberger Memorial Scholarship Fund  
 Redd Up Altoona Foundation  
 Ricky's Wheels Foundation  
 John Robertson Foundation  
 Rooms for Ronald Fund  
 William & Judith Rossman Family Fund  
 Rotary Club of Altoona Foundation  
 Rotary Club of Altoona-Sunrise Foundation  
 Rotary Club of Tyrone Foundation  
 Russo Family Foundation  
 Manickam Sankaran MD Family Trust  
 Scarlet Dragon Packs Fund  
 Irving & Judith Seltzer Charitable Trust Fund  
 Shafer-Greaves Family Fund  
 Charles & Eleanor Siegrist Foundation  
 Silver Creek Ministry Fund  
 Helen Singel Family Foundation  
 Sister Cities Fund  
 Rosalind Sky LOL (Love of Learning ) Future  
 Educator Scholarship Fund  
 John E. & Elaine M. Smith Fund  
 Edgar & Maureen Smithe Endowment Fund  
 Sole Survivors Memorial Fund  
 Zelda Gensimore Stewart Fund  
 The Stoudnour Family Foundation  
 Aaron N. Stuckey Memorial Foundation



Delmont Sunderland Family Foundation  
 Sweat for Vets Foundation  
 Teeter Group Foundation  
 Tiger Pack Program Foundation  
 To The Sky Family Foundation  
 Kathy Wagner Memorial Scholarship Fund  
 Arthur D. & Kay L. Walter Memorial Fund  
 S. Rodger Walters Educational Scholarship Foundation  
 Andrea M. Ward Foundation  
 The Michael E. Ward Family Foundation  
 We CARE Foundation  
 Wesley Church Scholarship Fund-William Hitchings  
 Charles L. & Betty A. Whitfield Family Foundation  
 Whiting Family Foundation - In Memory of Gerry Whiting  
 Barbara F. Wilson Fund  
 Susan Wilt & Bill Gillette Fund  
 The Judith Winfield Hancock Foundation  
 WISE Women of Blair County  
 The Patrick Wise Sr. Memorial Fund  
 John J. Wolf Family Fund  
 Martha O. Yanke Foundation  
 Yeager Family Foundation  
 Young Readers Council of Blair County Fund

## Scholarship Funds

The Sgt. Brandon E. Adams Information Technology  
 Memorial Scholarship  
 Alicia's Spirit Alive Scholarship Fund  
 Timothy A. Bartek Memorial Scholarship  
 Blair Companies Scholarship Fund  
 Richard K. Bouslough Memorial Education Scholarship  
 Barbara Michrina Brown Foundation  
 Harry E. Clarke Scholarship Fund  
 Ardie J. Dillen Memorial Scholarship Fund  
 Explore Altoona Hospitality Training Fund

Franklin M. (Frankie) Finelli II Memorial Scholarship Fund  
 Dr. William K. Flora, Sr. Memorial Scholarship Fund  
 Ralph E. Force Trust  
 The William E. (Bill) Frank & Swiss Club of Altoona  
 Memorial Scholarship  
 Fusco, Simoneau, Filler, Sasso, Thibodeau Children's Fund  
 Wendell B. Gahagan Community Service Award  
 Captain Bob Gallardy Fire Service Education &  
 Safety Fund  
 Scott Garlick Memorial Scholarship Fund  
 Heuston Scholarship Fund  
 Jane Purdy Hite & Robert Lee Hite Scholarship  
 Joe & Gina Itle Ag Science Scholarship Fund  
 Rex H. Kaup Accounting Scholarship  
 Jeff Koppel Memorial Scholarship Fund  
 Bessie Q. Levine Memorial Nursing Scholarship  
 Jaclyn Marie Locktosh Memorial Scholarship Fund  
 E. Charles Makdad Memorial Scholarship  
 Carol & Martin Marasco Family Foundation  
 Piotr Marciniak Memorial Scholarship  
 David McGrath Memorial Award  
 Nelson D. Metzger Memorial Basketball Scholarship  
 NAACP Scholarship Fund  
 Oakes Family Scholarship  
 P. Jules & Pamela J. Patt Memorial Scholarship Fund  
 Penn-Mont Academy Scholarship Trust Fund  
 Harold L. Price Scholarship  
 Christina Hughes Purcell Memorial Scholarship Fund  
 Joseph J. Schamris Memorial Scholarship  
 Jack Shaffer Scholarship  
 Donna Sheehan Nursing Scholarship  
 Timothy P. Sissler Memorial Scholarship  
 Scott Douglas Sparks & Todd Gardner Sparks  
 Memorial Scholarships Fund  
 St. Matthew's Scholarship Fund





Joseph T. & Dorothy E. Stasny Memorial Scholarship  
 Ralph E. Wallace Jr. Scholarship Fund  
 The George Woomer Memorial Scholarship Fund  
 Adam Zook Memorial Fund

### Unrestricted Funds

Louis Bergman Fund (Altoona Foundation)  
 Blair County Community Fund  
 Jacob W. Davidson Trust Fund (Altoona Foundation)  
 Ralph Force Fund  
 Benjamin Franklin Trust  
 Fred Haller Fund (Altoona Foundation)  
 Margaret R. Morrow Fund (Altoona Foundation)  
 Mary Florence Rollins Fund (Altoona Foundation)  
 Jacob Silverman Fund (Altoona Foundation)  
 G.A. & D.P. Wolf Memorial Fund

### Field-Of-Interest Funds

Benjamin Cohn Trust (Altoona Foundation)  
 Martha Cohn Charitable Fund (Altoona Foundation)  
 Emergency Services Support Fund for Blair County  
 Heritage Development Fund  
 Raymond & Constance Hiteshue Fund  
 Fred D. Miller Fund (Altoona Foundation)

### Agency Funds

Altoona Community Theatre Endowment Fund  
 Blair County Community Action Agency Endowment Fund  
 Blair County Historical Society Fund  
 Blair Senior Services Fund  
 Center for Independent Living of SCPA Endowment Fund  
 Contact Altoona Endowment  
 Easter Seals Central Pennsylvania Foundation  
 Home Nursing Agency Foundation

The Homewood Foundation Fund  
 Quaint Corner Children’s Discovery Center Fund  
 United Way Community Foundation

### Trusts

Jane Kazmaier Lower Trust  
 Diana J. Kazmaier Trust  
 T. Dean Lower & Jane Young Lower Trust

### Funds That Originated With Us

In addition to the active funds that we currently manage, we have helped to launch several non-profit organizations. Some organizations eventually get their own 501(c)3 designation but keep an active fund with us, while others move on entirely. The following are now independent charitable organizations. We are proud to have been a part of their history.

- Altoona Curve Baseball Charities
- Amelia M. Sharer Foundation
- Beacon of Blair County
- Foot of Ten Elementary PTO
- Living Stones
- Love From Liam Foundation
- The Nehemiah Project
- Smiles For Miles
- Visitors From The Past



The CPCF is proud to administer the Nason Foundation.



The CPCF is proud to administer the Altoona Mirror Season of Sharing.

# GIFTING OPTIONS

There are many options for charitable giving. With any option, you should always contact your tax advisor.

**CASH** Since the CPCF is a public charity, your gift qualifies for the maximum tax benefits. Gifts of cash are deductible up to 60% of your adjusted gross income; any excess amount may be carried forward for deduction over the next 5 years.

**STOCKS & BONDS** When gifting stocks, bonds, or mutual funds, you'll receive a deduction equal to the current market value of the securities and avoid the capital gains tax on any long-term appreciation. Gifts of stocks and bonds are deductible up to 30% of your adjusted gross income and any excess amount may be carried forward for deduction over the next 5 years.

**LIFE INSURANCE** Your life insurance policy may be used for a charitable gift. You can name the Foundation as the beneficiary of an existing policy or donate a policy you no longer need. You may find that purchasing a new policy for the Foundation may afford you the opportunity to create a much larger fund. The premiums you pay for such a policy are deductible from your income tax.

**RETIREMENT ACCOUNT ASSETS & IRAS** Careful planning is needed to ensure excess taxes are not incurred. Some IRAs have been taxed as much as 80% due to lack of adequate tax planning. However, they do provide a special opportunity to establish a fund.

**CHARITABLE BEQUEST** A charitable bequest is a gift that is made part of a will or trust. There are many ways that a charitable bequest can be set up. The CPCF team can work with you and your attorney to include one into your estate plan.

**CHARITABLE LEAD TRUST** If you are interested in supporting specific causes for a specific period of time, with remaining assets eventually going to your heirs or beneficiaries, a charitable lead trust may be a good fit for you.

**CHARITABLE REMAINDER TRUST** A charitable remainder trust is a strategy that can generate a lifetime income for the donor(s). Upon death, the remainder is donated to the designated charity.

**REAL ESTATE** This and other assets are accepted by the Foundation on a case-by-case basis.

**SUSTAINING VISIONARY** Contributions to the Sustaining Visionary Fund provide additional funding for the Community Foundation's competitive grant program. You may direct your contribution to one of the following areas: Animals, Arts, Economic and Community Development, Educational Programs, Health Related, or Social Services.

Donations (you set the amount) to the Sustaining Visionary Fund may be billed on an annual or semi-annual basis. If you are interested in becoming part of the Sustaining Visionary Fund, just contact the Community Foundation office.

**EDUCATIONAL IMPROVEMENT TAX CREDIT (EITC)** In Pennsylvania, tax credits are available to eligible businesses contributing to a Scholarship Organization, an Educational Improvement Organization (EIO), Opportunity Scholarship Tax Credit (OSTC), and /or a Pre-Kindergarten Scholarship Organization. Previously the CPCF accepted contributions to any of the 4 programs. Currently, we are only accepting EIO contributions.

In 2020, the CPCF began to handle Special Purpose Entity: Educational Improvement Organizations (EIO) contributions. This new program is available from January 1 – August 31 each year. Individual business owners, who are new donors, and agree to make at least a \$3,500 contribution could be eligible for this program. If you are interested in learning more, please call our office.

# ASSETS UNDER MANAGEMENT\*

1996 - \$39,955	2010 - \$7,658,119
1997 - \$246,021	2011 - \$9,414,518
1998 - \$419,193	2012 - \$11,035,154
1999 - \$542,349	2013 - \$14,638,513
2000 - \$1,069,690	2014 - \$14,746,293
2001 - \$1,941,873	2015 - \$14,296,484
2002 - \$2,669,015	2016 - \$18,168,598
2003 - \$3,300,156	2017 - \$19,663,649
2004 - \$3,816,853	2018 - \$18,467,268
2005 - \$4,269,634	2019 - \$21,933,822
2006 - \$4,887,374	2020 - \$24,412,795
2007 - \$5,682,528	2021 - \$28,583,715
2008 - \$5,038,211	2022 - \$25,672,060
2009 - \$6,034,971	2023 - \$28,353,415**

\*Compiled from the annual reports and audits. Assets under management includes cash and cash equivalents, investments and funds held in trust.

\*\*Unaudited

## Total Active Funds: 287

### Administrative Fees Policy

The administrative fees charged by the Foundation for a fund are as follows:

- 1.5% of the first \$100,000 or \$150 whichever is greater
- 1.25% of the next \$100,001 – \$499,999
- 1% of any amount over \$500,000
- Funds \$1 million – \$2,999,999.99 flat 1%
- Funds \$3 million – \$4,999,999.99 flat .75%
- Funds \$5 million and over flat .5%

Administrative fees will be collected on a quarterly basis.

**NOTE:** For a pass-through account, a maximum fee of 2.5% will be charged as determined by the Finance Committee based on duties and administrative responsibilities.

# LEGACY SOCIETY

As of December 31, 2023

The Legacy Society members are those who have named the Central Pennsylvania Community Foundation as the beneficiary of any type of planned or deferred gift. Composed of individuals who have made plans to leave a gift to the Central Pennsylvania Community Foundation, members of the Legacy Society have that special satisfaction that comes with knowing that they have helped make this corner of the world a little better.

Legacy Society members may designate the use of the distributions from their future gifts, or may leave the distributions to the discretion of the Grants Committee. A Legacy Society gift may be used to establish a new Named Fund or may be added to any of the Foundation's existing funds. There are many not-for-profit organizations worthy of consideration and support, but the "ultimate philanthropy" is the Foundation itself. Gifts supporting the Foundation will ensure our ability to create a better future for all of us.

- C. Elton Crider
- Nancy Devorris
- John E. Eberhardt, Jr.
- Barry & Marlene Halbritter
- Allan G. Hancock
- David & Janet Hileman
- Michael J. & Gail H. Irwin
- Deedra M. Kazmaier
- Craig & Patricia A. Kilmer
- Mr. & Mrs. Michael Kranich, Sr.
- James E. & Diane M. Locktosh
- Ronald J. & Lauren P. McConnell
- Neil & Marilyn Port
- John & Sylvia Schraff
- Helen Singel
- Randy & Mary Tarpey
- Vi Whiting
- Gerald P. & Aline D. Wolf

# FELLOW AWARD

Foundation Fellows are those people who have either directly made a \$1,000 contribution or who have been honored by others with a \$1,000 contribution to the CPCF in their name. These donations serve two purposes, with half of the amount being used to support the operation of the Foundation, and the remainder being placed in the permanent Community Fund

## 2023

Fred Imler, Jr.  
Jim Little  
Heather Little  
Janet Hileman  
Rex Kaup  
Judy Hancock

## 2022

Jack Sparks  
In memory of Falon Marie  
Morris

## 2020

Janet Pennington

## 2019

Anthea Germano  
Marie Makdad

## 2018

Jack Makdad

## 2017

Suzanne Egan

## 2016

Jane P. Hite  
J. Benjamin Yeager

## 2014

April Ressler

## 2013

Stephen Sloan

## 2011

Jill M. Hannah

## 2010

John Conlon  
Donna Gority

Denny Helsel

Gail Irwin

Paul Johnson

Roz Sky

Joseph Stevens, Jr.

## 2009

Dede Kazmaier

George Kelchner

Diane Osgood

Kathy Wagner

## 2008

Andrea Devorris Cohen

In memory of Dick Crawford

Lois R. Crider

Philip E. Devorris

Michael A. Fiore

D. Stephen Martz

Paul Winter

## 2007

Merle K. Evey, Esq.

Lisa Fry

Terry Goldstein

Ray Hess

Craig Kilmer

Barry Kumpf

## 2006

Peggy Leach Bailey

Lori J. Bechtel

C. Elton Crider

Hampton "Hap" Durbin

John E. "Jack" Eberhardt, Jr.

The Honorable Robert C.

Jubelirer

Shirley E. Long

Thomas C. Martin

Neil Port

James F. Saleme



Katherine M. "Kate" Shaffer  
Randy Tarpey  
Michael Tomor  
Thomas Trexler

### **2005**

Ralph J. Albarano, Jr.  
Donald H. Brett  
Sister Paula DelGrosso  
Leonard S. Fiore, Sr.  
Tera J. Herman  
Robert J. Lestochi  
Martin J. "Marty" Marasco  
In honor of the life of  
Sandra H. Martz  
Judge Thomas G.  
Peoples, Jr.

James Rosenthal  
Douglas J. Simon  
Gerald P. Wolf

### **2004**

Jeffery N. Binney, MD  
William G. Cale, Jr.  
Donald Devorris  
Warren A. Gingrich  
R. Lee Hite  
Thomas A. Irwin, Jr.  
Joseph P. Rosenhamer

### **2003**

Jodi L. Cessna  
Nancy Devorris  
Barry J. Halbritter

Judith A. Halbritter  
Marlene M. Halbritter  
Robert K. Halbritter  
Father Christian Oravec  
Michael Strueber  
Leonard B. Whiting  
John J. Wolf

### **2002**

Ralph W. Arthur, Jr.  
Karry Bachtell  
Barbara Biehner  
Willard E. "Bill" Campbell  
Randy Cooley  
Allan G. Hancock  
William J. Rossman

### **2001**

Ann Benzel  
Fred Imler, Sr.  
John Kazmaier  
Bobbie Miller  
Bud Shuster

### **2000**

Jane Kazmaier Lower  
Shirley Pechter  
Irving Seltzer  
Ernie Wissinger



## **SPECIAL ANNIVERSARY GRANT AWARDS**

During both our 20th and 25th anniversaries, the CPCF made anniversary grant distributions as a celebration of these significant milestones in the organization's history.

### **20th Anniversary**

In 2015, when the CPCF reached its 20th anniversary, two organizations each received a special grant award of \$10,000.

#### **20th Anniversary Grant Award Recipients included:**

- Family Services Inc. for the R.K. Agarwal M.D. & Family Teen Center & Shelter
- We CARE Foundation

### **25th Anniversary**

In 2020, five charitable organizations were selected each to receive a one-time \$5,000 award. Each organization received funds to support a special project.

#### **25th Anniversary Grant Award Recipients included:**

- Big Brothers Big Sisters of Blair County
- Blair County Historical Society
- The Door Student Services
- Gloria Gates Memorial Foundation
- John's Way Medical Equipment Ministry



# 2023 COMPETITIVE GRANTS WINNERS

On July 13th, The Central Pennsylvania Community Foundation distributed \$31,142.71 in grants to 29 non-profit organizations, serving Blair County, at a ceremony held at the Geeseytown Community Fire Company. Representatives from each organization were presented with their grant awards by members of the CPCF Board of Directors and Grants Committee.

Each year, the CPCF accepts project proposals from eligible organizations requesting funding via its competitive grant process. Each applicant must be located in or serve Blair County. The CPCF began its competitive grants process in the year 2000. Since then, it has distributed over \$1 million to 150 non-profit organizations.

## 2023 Grant Award Recipients include:

Altoona Renaissance Team  
Inc. (DBA) Arts Altoona  
The Arc of Blair County  
Because We Care  
Foundation  
Bellwood-Antis Public  
Library  
Big Brother Big Sisters of  
Blair County  
Blair Concert Chorale  
Blair County Arts  
Foundation  
Blair County Chamber  
Foundation Inc.

Blair County Community  
Action- Mountain Lion  
Backpack Program  
Blair Regional YMCA  
Booker T. Washington  
Revitalization Corp.  
Central Blair County Park &  
Recreation Commission  
The Door Student Services  
Inc.  
Evolution Expressions  
Foundation For Free  
Enterprise Education

Geeseytown Community  
Fire Company  
Hollidaysburg Area Public  
Library  
Juniata United Methodist  
Church  
Lakemont Volunteer Fire  
Company  
Make-A-Wish Foundation  
of Greater Pennsylvania  
Morrisons Cove Memorial  
Park Association  
Overflow Church

Penn Mont Academy  
Phoenix Volunteer Fire  
Company No. 1  
Roaring Spring Community  
Library  
Southern Alleghenies  
Museum of Art  
Tyrone Snyder Public  
Library  
Williamsburg Volunteer  
Fire Company 1  
Young Life



# GRANTS

From inception through December 31, 2023, the Foundation has impacted the community by the distribution of grants to charitable purposes in excess of \$25.8 million.

1996	- \$44,565
1997	- \$47,372
1998	- \$58,618
1999	- \$75,944
2000	- \$105,027
2001	- \$99,435
2002	- \$173,208
2003	- \$135,288
2004	- \$123,930
2005	- \$258,979*
2006	- \$376,148
2007	- \$506,515
2008	- \$688,762
2009	- \$837,999
2010	- \$868,858
2011	- \$1,209,704
2012	- \$1,052,026
2013	- \$1,485,012
2014	- \$1,556,906
2015	- \$1,514,226
2016	- \$1,627,488
2017	- \$2,085,957
2018	- \$1,648,353
2019	- \$1,946,653
2020	- \$2,154,583
2021	- \$1,789,416
2022	- \$1,433,031
2023	- \$1,716,774**

\*There was an additional pass-thru grant of \$264,740.

\*\*Unaudited

# GRANT RECIPIENTS

Since inception, the CPCF has distributed grants to over 850 organizations through our competitive grants process, donor-advised funds, and other funding streams. The list below is through December 31, 2023.

1889 Foundation	Altoona Fire Department
3 For The Road	Altoona Food Bank
ABC Preschool	Altoona-Johnstown Diocesan Family Life
Abode for Children	Altoona Redevelopment Authority
Academy of Sacred Music	Altoona Regional Health System Foundation
Action for Animals	Altoona Renaissance Team
Adams County Christian Academy	Altoona Rescue Mission
Adrienne Shelly Foundation	Altoona Symphony Orchestra
Adult & Teen Challenge New England and New Jersey	Alzheimers Associations
Adventures in Missions	AMBUCS
African American Heritage Festival of Blair County	Amelia M. Sharer Foundation
Aging Services	American Cancer Society
Agudath Achim Synagogue	American Center for Law and Justice
Akron University	American College of Pediatricians
Alex's Lemonade Stand Foundation	American Heart Association
Alfred State	American Musical & Dramatic Academy
All-American Dairy Foundation Inc.	American Red Cross
Alleghenies Score Chapter #575	American Red Cross Southern Alleghenies Chapter
Allegheny Ballet Company	American Rescue Workers
Allegheny College	American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals
Allegheny College of Maryland	American University
Allegheny College of Meadville	Animal Behavior College
Allegheny Ridge	Animal Welfare Assoc.
Allegheny Township Fire Company No. 1 of Canan Station	Anna Maria College
Allegheny Lutheran Social Ministries	The Arc of Blair County
Alto Model Train Museum	Armada Global
Alto Reste Park Cemetery	The Art Institute of Pittsburgh
Altoona Alliance Church	ASSET
Altoona Area Business Community	Associated Humane Societies
Altoona Area High School	Association for the Blind
Altoona Area High School Music Parents Assoc.	Bald Eagle United Methodist Church
Altoona Area Public Library	Ball State University
Altoona Area School District Foundation	Battlefield Ministries
Altoona Area Youth Hockey Assoc.	Baylor University
Altoona Beauty School	Beacon Lodge
Altoona Bible Church Preschool	Beacon of Blair County
Altoona Blair County Development Corporation	Beating the Odds Foundation
Altoona Central Catholic School	Beaver Memorial United Methodist Church
Altoona Collegiate Outreach	Beavertown Bible Church
Altoona Community Theatre	Because We Care Foundation
Altoona Curve Charities	Bedford Boys Basketball 6th Man Club

Bedford County Chamber Foundation  
 Bedford County Endowment  
 Bedford County Fair  
 Bedford County Regional Education  
 Foundation  
 Bedford County Young at Heart  
 Games  
 Bedford Fire Department No. 1  
 Bedford Heritage Trust  
 Bedford Joint Municipal Authority  
 Begin with Us Child Care and  
 Preschool  
 Belleville Mennonite School  
 Bellwood-Antis Public Library  
 Bellwood-Antis School District  
 Foundation  
 Belmont Special School  
 Belmont University  
 Bemidji State University  
 Bennington College  
 Berean Bible Institute  
 Berklee College of Music  
 Berkshire Choral Festival  
 Bethany College  
 Bethel University  
 Bethesda Mission  
 Bible League International  
 Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Blair County  
 Big Brothers/Big Sisters of the  
 Capital Region  
 Billy Graham Evangelistic Assoc.  
 Bishop Carroll Catholic High School  
 Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School  
 Blacklick Valley Foundation  
 Blair Concert Chorale  
 Blair County Arts Foundation  
 Blair County Chamber Foundation

Blair County Children, Youth & Families  
 Blair County Christian School  
 Blair County Community Action  
 Program  
 Blair County Department of  
 Social Services  
 Blair County Drug & Alcohol  
 Program Inc.  
 Blair County Historical Society  
 Blair County Humane Society  
 Blair County Library System  
 Blair County Literacy Council  
 Blair County Respiratory  
 Disease Society  
 Blair Foundation for Historic  
 Hollidaysburg  
 Blair Hope For Families  
 Blair Regional YMCA  
 Blair Senior Services  
 Blair Type 1 Diabetes Foundation  
 Blair/Clearfield Assoc. for the  
 Blind & Visually Impaired  
 Bloomsburg University  
 Blue Knob Volunteer Fire Company  
 Bob Jones University  
 Bob Perks Cancer Assistance Fund  
 Booker T. Washington Revitalization  
 Corporation  
 Boston University  
 Bowling Green State University  
 Boy Scouts of America Laurel  
 Highlands Council  
 Bradford Area Christian Academy  
 Breast Cancer Research Foundation  
 Brigham Young University  
 Bright Ideas Childcare and Preschool  
 Brookville Area Food Pantry

Brookville Church of God  
 Brown University  
 Bucknell University  
 Butler Community College  
 Cadence International  
 Cairn University  
 California State University Long Beach  
 California University of Pennsylvania  
 Calvary Cemetery  
 Calvary Christian Academy  
 Camp Anderson  
 Camp Blue Diamond  
 Camp Mantowagan  
 Canal Basin Project  
 CAP 21  
 Carlisle Foundation  
 Carlow University  
 Carnegie Mellon University  
 Case Western Reserve University  
 Catalyst Space  
 Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament  
 Catholic Social Services  
 Catholic University of America  
 CE National  
 Cedarville University  
 Celebrate Diversity  
 Center for Adoption Education of  
 Central PA  
 Center For Community Action  
 The Center for Dairy Excellence  
 Foundation of PA  
 The Center for Digital Imaging Arts  
 at Boston University  
 Center for Hearing & Deaf Services,  
 Westmoreland  
 Center for Independent Living of  
 South Central PA



Center for Independent Living,  
Station Mall  
Centerville Special Education School  
Central Blair Recreation & Park  
Commission  
Central PA Food Bank Harrisburg  
Central PA Humane Society  
Central Pennsylvania Institute of  
Science & Technology  
Centre Wildlife Care  
Chamberlin University  
Champion Life Christian Academy  
Charlemont Inn Preservation Society  
Chatham University  
Chestnut Ridge Ambulance Assoc.  
Child Advocates of Blair County -  
Teen Link  
Child Evangelism Fellowship of  
South Central PA  
Children's Aid Society of Mercer  
County  
Children's Hospital Los Angeles  
Children's Hospital of Philadelphia  
Foundation  
Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh  
Foundation  
Children's Miracle Network Hospitals  
Children's Organ Transplant Assoc.  
Children's Place Early Learning Center  
Choice One Pregnancy & Sexual  
Health Resource Centers  
Christ Lutheran Church  
Christar  
Christian Advocates Serving Evangelism  
Christian Broadcasting Network  
Christian Missions in Many Lands  
City University of New York  
Clarion University  
Clarks Summit University  
Claysburg Ambulance Service  
Claysburg Area Public Library  
Claysburg Education Foundation  
Claysburg Kimmel Athletic Fund  
Claysburg Volunteer Fire Company  
Clearfield County Area Agency  
on Aging  
Clearfield Creek Athletic Assoc.  
Clearfield YMCA  
The Cleveland Clinic Foundation  
Cloud Covered Streets  
Clover Creek Church of the Brethren  
Clydehurst Christian Ranch  
Clymer Borough Baseball Park Memorial



Clymer Civic Assoc.  
Coastal Carolina University  
Columbia College Chicago  
Columbus Baptist Church  
Common Sense Adoption Services  
Community College of Allegheny  
County  
Community Day School  
Community Food Warehouse of  
Mercer County  
Community Foundation of the  
Alleghenies  
Community Foundation of the  
Florida Keys  
Conemaugh Health Foundation  
Conemaugh Memorial Medical Center  
Conemaugh School of EMS  
Conemaugh School of Nursing

Conemaugh Valley Memorial Hospital  
School of Nursing  
Contact Altoona  
Cornell University  
Cornerstone Fellowship of Mill Run  
Corporation for Penn State  
Country Meadows Special Ed School  
Covenant House  
Creating Landscapes Learning Center  
Creative Kids Education Center  
Creative Ministries  
Cresson Lake Playhouse  
Crossover Cups Mission  
Crossover Ministries  
Crossroads Bible Church  
Crossroads Community Church  
Crossroads Services  
Csehly Summer School of Music  
Cucalous Film Foundation  
Culinary Institute of America  
Cystic Fibrosis Foundation  
Danny and Ron's Rescue  
Davidson College  
Davis & Elkins College  
Day One of Greater Altoona  
Dayton Mennonite Church  
Delaware Valley College  
Delta Phi Epsilon Education  
Foundation  
DeSales University  
Doctors Without Borders USA  
The Door Student Services  
Dordt University  
Doris Todd Memorial Christian  
Day School  
Doyon Foundation  
Dreams Go On  
Drexel University  
DuBois Food Pantry  
DuBois Business College  
Duke University  
Duncansville Evangelical Lutheran  
Church  
Duncansville VFW Post 8724  
Duncansville Volunteer Fire Dept.  
Duquesne University  
Earlham College  
East Freedom Chapel  
East Nickel Mine Special School  
East Tennessee State University  
Easter For Eli  
Easter Seals Western & Central PA  
Eastern Mennonite University

Eastman School of Music  
 Echoes of Madagascar  
 Eden Christian Academy  
 Edinboro University of Pennsylvania  
 Edith Wharton Restoration  
 Elizabethtown College  
 Elmhurst College  
 Elon University  
 Embry-Riddle Aeronautical  
 Emerge Missions  
 Emerson College  
 Emmaus Bible College  
 Emory University  
 Encompass World Partners  
 The Epilepsy Foundation  
 Episcopal Community Services of the  
 Diocese of Pennsylvania  
 Evangelical Alliance Mission  
 Evangelical Lutheran Church of  
 America Foundation  
 Everett Area Renaissance Foundation  
 Evolution Expressions  
 Excelsior College  
 Excelsior Fire Company 1  
 Explore Altoona  
 Faith Assembly of God  
 Family Services  
 Family Stations  
 The Farm at Collins  
 Father Flanagans Boys Home  
 Fellowship of International Mission  
 Fifth Ward Community Redevelopment  
 First Baptist Church of Altoona Reapers  
 First Baptist Church of Leesburg, FL  
 First Book-Blair County #308  
 First Church of Christ  
 First English Lutheran Church

First Lutheran Church/TLC Childcare  
 First Presbyterian Church  
 First United Methodist Church  
 Florida International University  
 Florida State University  
 Foggy Ridge Special School  
 Food For Families  
 Fordham University  
 Fort Roberdeau Assoc.  
 Found and Favored Ministries  
 Foundation for Free Enterprise  
 Education  
 Foundation for Indiana University of PA  
 Foundation For Puerto Rico  
 Foundations Christian Academy  
 Four Footed Friends  
 Franciscan University of Steubenville  
 Franklin and Marshall College  
 Fraternal Order of Police #8  
 Freedom Baptist Church  
 Freedom Township Fire Company  
 Friends of Animals  
 Friends of Oregon  
 Friends of Rose Hill Cemetery  
 Friends of the Altoona Area Public  
 Library  
 Friends of the Bellwood-Antis  
 Public Library  
 Friendship Fire Company  
 Gallaudet University  
 Gallitzin Public Library  
 Gannon University  
 Garver Memorial YMCA  
 Geeseytown Community Fire Co.  
 Geisinger Foundation/Children's  
 Miracle Network  
 Geneva College

George B. Kelley Amateur Baseball  
 Federation  
 George Mason University  
 George Townsend  
 George Washington University  
 Georgetown University  
 Gettysburg College  
 The Giorgio Foundation  
 Girl Scouts of Western PA  
 Girls Night Out Altoona  
 Glendale School District Education  
 Foundation  
 Gloria Gates Memorial Foundation  
 God's Littlest Angels  
 Golden Rule Creation  
 Goldey-Beacom College  
 Good Beginning  
 Gospelink  
 Grace Bible Church  
 Grace Brethren Church  
 Grace Brethren North American  
 Missions  
 Grace Brethren Retreat Center  
 Grace College & Seminary  
 Grace Community Church  
 Grace Community Food Pantry  
 Grace Playschool  
 Grace Refuge Outreach Worldwide  
 Grace Schools  
 Grace Theological Seminary  
 Grace to You  
 Grace United Methodist Church  
 Great Commission Schools  
 Greater Altoona Career &  
 Technology Center  
 Greater Altoona Economic  
 Development Corporation  
 Greater Altoona Jewish Federation  
 Greater Houston Community  
 Foundation  
 Greenpeace Fund  
 Greensburg Triangle Tech  
 Greenwood Volunteer Fire Company  
 Greg & Cathy Griffith Family Foundation  
 The Grier School  
 Grove City Christian Academy  
 Grove City Area United Way  
 Grove City Christian Academy  
 Grove City College  
 H.O.P.E.  
 Habitat for Humanity  
 Harrisburg Area Community College  
 Harvard University



Haverford University  
HCH Missionary Partners  
Health Opportunity Purpose and Empowerment  
Heather's Haven  
Help Hope Live  
Heritage Foundation  
Hicks United Methodist Church  
High Adventure Scouting Group  
High Hopes  
Hillel Academy of Pittsburgh  
The Hillsdale College Independence Fund  
Hillside Community Church  
Hofstra University  
Hollidaysburg Alumni Chorus  
Hollidaysburg American Legion Ambulance Service  
Hollidaysburg Area Public Library Assoc.  
Hollidaysburg Area School District Foundation  
Hollidaysburg Area Summer Baseball League  
Hollidaysburg Area Women's Club  
Hollidaysburg Area Young Men's Christian Assoc.  
Hollidaysburg Catholic School  
Hollidaysburg Community Band  
Hollidaysburg First United Methodist Church  
Hollidaysburg Veteran's Home Resident Welfare Fund  
Holy Trinity Catholic School  
Home Nursing Agency  
Home Run Against Drugs  
Home Sweet Home Animal Rescue  
Homewood Foundation  
Hood College  
The Hope Center  
Hope Grace Brethren Church  
Hope Ministry  
Hoping Hearts Foundation  
Howard University  
Huntingdon Area School District Education Foundation  
Huntingdon Christian Academy  
Huntingdon Community Center  
Huntingdon County Career & Technology Center  
Huntingdon County Dairy Scholarship  
Huntingdon County Humane Society  
Huntingdon County Library  
Huntingdon County United Way

Huntingdon Fire Department  
Huntingdon Regional Fire and Rescue  
Hypoparathyroidism Assoc.  
IDA Community Development Corp.  
In His Image Justice Coalition  
Independent Catholic Foundation  
Indiana Art Council  
Indiana University of Pennsylvania  
Indiana University of Pennsylvania - Research Institute  
Indiana University Purdue University Indianapolis  
Indiana University School of Nursing  
Indiana Wesleyan University  
International Churches Ministry  
International Fellowship of Christians & Jews  
International Missions  
International TEFL Academy  
Iowa State University  
Iron Grove Special School  
Ithaca College  
IUP Academy of Culinary Arts  
Jack and Jill Nursery School  
Jaggard First United Methodist Church  
James E. Van Zandt VA Medical Center  
Janessa Fleming Memorial Fund  
The Jared Box Project  
JC Blair Memorial Hospital Foundation  
Jed Foundation  
John Hopkins University  
Johnstown Symphony Orchestra  
Joshua House  
Joslin Diabetes Center  
Juniata Civic Assoc. of the 13th Ward  
Juniata College  
Juniata United Methodist Church  
Juniata Valley Educational Trust  
Juniata Valley School District  
Junior Achievement of SWPA  
Junior Achievement of Western PA  
Kare 4 Kids  
Kennedy Krieger Foundation  
Kent State University  
Keystone Sportsmen for Youth  
Kor on Four  
Kutztown University  
La Roche College  
The Ladies of Virtue Foundation  
Lakemont Voluntary Fire Company #1  
Lancaster Bible College  
LaRoche University  
Laurel Academy

Laurel Hill Trout Farm  
Lay Stewardship  
Leap the Dips Preservation Foundation  
Learning Ally  
The Learning Center  
Lebanon Valley College  
LECOM  
Lehigh University  
Lenoir-Rhyne University  
Let's Equip Inc.  
Leukemia & Lymphoma Society  
Lexington House  
Liberty University  
Life Action Revival Ministry  
Light of Life Ministries  
Lincoln Memorial University  
Literacy For All  
Living Stones Resources  
Loaves and Fishes Food Pantry  
Lock Haven University  
Logan Township United Fire Dept.  
Louisiana State University  
Lower Cape Fear Hospice Foundation  
Lucky Star Cavalier Rescue  
Lung Disease Foundation of Central PA  
Lycoming College  
Maine High Adventure - BSA  
Make-A-Wish Foundation  
Mansfield University  
Maple Syrup Urine Disease Family Support Group  
Marine Toys for Tots Foundation  
Martin's Barber School  
Martinsburg Community Fund  
Martinsburg Grace Brethren Church  
Marywood University  
McAllwen North Rotary Club  
MDRT Foundation  
Melodious Accord  
Mendelssohn Choir of Pittsburgh  
Mending Hearts Animal Rescue  
Mercyhurst College  
Mercyhurst North East  
Messiah College  
MHBC Foundation  
The Mia Foundation  
Michael Mosier Defeat DIPG Foundation  
Middle Tennessee State University  
Middletown Road Baptist Church  
Midwestern University-Glendale  
Millersville University



Million Dollar Round Table Foundation  
 Million Meals  
 Miracle League of Blair County  
 Miracle Mountain Ranch School of  
 Discipleship  
 Misericordia University  
 Mission Aviation Fellowship  
 Misty Meadow Special School  
 Monongalia County Society For  
 Crippled Children & Adults  
 Montessori School of the  
 Nittany Valley  
 Morrisons Cove Memorial Park  
 Mount Aloysius College  
 Mount Carmel Church  
 Mount Nebo Holy Church  
 Mount Union Library  
 Mount Zion Baptist Church  
 Mountain Lion Backpack Program  
 MSUD Family Support Group  
 Mt. Nebo Holy Church  
 Mt. Pleasant United Church of Christ  
 Multiple Sclerosis Society  
 Mutual Aid EMS  
 My Brother's Keeper  
 NAACP of Blair County  
 NAMI Blair County PA  
 National Audubon Society  
 National Flute Association  
 Nature Conservancy  
 The Navigators  
 The Nehemiah Project  
 Neptune Fire Company  
 New Castle Christian Academy  
 New Day  
 New Hope Baptist Church  
 New Hope Ministries  
 New Mexico State University

New Morning Grief Camp  
 New York University  
 North Tier NHA - Boy Scouts  
 of America  
 Northeast Lakeview College  
 Northern Blair County Recreation  
 Commission  
 Northern Michigan University  
 Hugh O'Brien Youth Leadership  
 Congress  
 Oakmont Presbyterian Church  
 Oberlin College  
 Ohio Northern University  
 Ohio State University  
 Ohio Wesleyan University  
 Olivet Baptist Church  
 Open Doors USA  
 Operation Our Town  
 Operation Small Steps  
 Orphans of the Storm  
 Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church  
 Our Lady of Victory Preschool  
 Our Wish Foundation  
 Overflow Church  
 Overtime Wrestling Booster Club  
 PA Women Work  
 Panzi Hospital Foundation  
 Parsons the New School for Design  
 Pathlight International, Inc.  
 Patrick Henry College  
 Pellissippi State Community College  
 Penn Christian Academy  
 Penn Highlands Community College  
 Penn-Mont Academy  
 Penn State Altoona  
 Penn State Behrend  
 Penn State DuBois  
 Penn State Mont Alto

Penn State School of Music  
 Penn State University  
 Penn State World Campus  
 Penn State Wrestling Club  
 Penn Tech  
 Penn's Woods Council Boy Scouts  
 of America  
 Penns Manor School District  
 Education Foundation  
 Pennsylvania Breast Cancer Coalition  
 Pennsylvania College of Technology  
 Pennsylvania Parks and Forests  
 Foundation  
 Pennsylvania State Fire Academy  
 Philadelphia Biblical University  
 Phoenix Volunteer Fire Company No. 1  
 Physicians Committee for  
 Responsible Medicine  
 Pinecroft Fire Company  
 Piper Aviation Museum  
 Pittsburgh Institute of Aeronautics  
 Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra  
 Pittsburgh Technical Institute  
 The Pleasant Valley Assembly of God  
 Point Park University  
 Portersville Christian School  
 Portland Stage Company, Inc.  
 Potomac State College of  
 West Virginia  
 Potter County Educational Council  
 Precept Ministries of Reach Out  
 Precious Creek  
 Precious Life  
 Presbyterian Homes Foundation  
 Presbyterian Village of Hollidaysburg  
 President and Fellows of  
 Harvard College  
 Primarily Primates

Princeton University  
 Pro Musicis Foundation, Inc.  
 Professional Dairy Producers of  
 Wisconsin Educational Foundation  
 Providence Presbyterian Church  
 Puzzletown Road Bible Church  
 Quaint Corner Children's Museum &  
 Discovery Center  
 RAA - Altoona Transportation Center  
 Radford University  
 Railroaders Memorial Museum  
 Rails to Trails of Central PA  
 Rawlinsville Special Education School  
 RCE International  
 REA Energy Service  
 Refuge Youth Network, Inc.  
 Regent University  
 Reservoir Bible Church  
 The Restaurant School at Walnut  
 Hill College  
 Revive Our Hearts  
 Rhode Island School of Design  
 Riverside Park Fund  
 Riverview Community Action Corp.  
 Roaring Spring Community Library  
 Robert Morris University  
 Rochester Institute of Technology  
 Ronald McDonald House Charities  
 Rosedale Food Pantry  
 Rosedale Technical School  
 Roseglen Christian Nursery School  
 Rosetta Foundation  
 Rotary Club of Shepherdstown  
 Charitable Fund  
 The Rotary Foundation  
 Rotary Rose Parade Float Committee  
 Rutgers University  
 Sacred Heart School  
 Safe Kids Blair County  
 Safe Water Team  
 Saint Francis University  
 Saint Mary's College  
 Saint Michael School  
 Saint Vincent College  
 Saint Vincent De Paul Food Pantry  
 Saints Cosmas & Damian School  
 Salisbury Heights Special  
 Education School  
 The Salon Professional Academy  
 Salt'N Light Youth Ministries  
 Salted Spring Youth Ranch  
 Salvation Army - Altoona  
 Samaritan's Promise



Samaritan's Purse  
 Sarcoma Foundation of America  
 The Schreyer Honors College at  
 Penn State University  
 SCTE Foundation  
 Seattle University  
 Second Harvest Food Bank of  
 Northwest Pennsylvania  
 Second Mile  
 Seeds of Faith Christian Academy  
 Selfless Solutions  
 Sentimental Journey  
 Service Paws of Central PA  
 Seton Hill University  
 Shannock Valley Little League  
 Shannock Valley Youth Football  
 Shelter Box USA  
 Sheltering Wings  
 Shenandoah University  
 Shippensburg University  
 Shriner's Hospital  
 Sight & Sound Conservatory  
 Simpson Temple United Parish  
 Ski Gap Community Center  
 Skills of Central Pennsylvania  
 Slippery Rock University  
 Smeal College of Business at  
 Penn State University  
 Smile Train  
 Society of St. Vincent De Paul  
 Stores Division  
 Somerset County Foundation for  
 Higher Education  
 South Dakota School of Mines &  
 Technology  
 Southeastern Community College

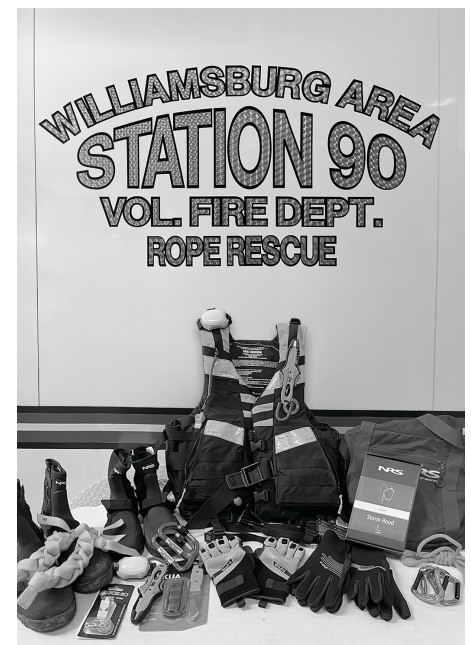
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 & Technology  
 South Texas Vocational Technical  
 Institute  
 Southern Alleghenies Museum of Art  
 Southern Alleghenies Service  
 Management Group  
 Special Olympics Blair County  
 Spring Cove Educational Foundation  
 St. John Evangelical Lutheran Church  
 St. John the Evangelist Church  
 St. John the Evangelist School  
 St. John Lutheran Church  
 St. John Newman Regional Academy  
 St. John's Catholic School  
 St. John's United Church of Christ  
 St. Joseph's University  
 St. Jude Children's Research Hospital  
 St. Leonard's Home  
 St. Luke Foundation for Haiti  
 St. Luke's Episcopal Church  
 St. Mark's Catholic Church  
 St. Matthew's School  
 St. Michael's Orthodox Church  
 St. Michael's School  
 St. Patrick's School  
 St. Rose of Lima  
 St. Vincent De Paul Society  
 State College Choral Society  
 The State University Of New York  
 College of Agriculture and  
 Technology  
 Stay & Play Preschool  
 Stepping Stones for Life  
 Sullivan University  
 Sunset Valley Special School



SUNY Oswego  
Susquehanna Conference  
Susquehanna Selinsgrove  
Susquehanna University  
Sweat for Vets  
Syracuse University  
Teen Challenge New England  
Temple University  
Tender Loving Care Preschool  
Terranova  
Texas State Technical College  
Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology  
Thiel College  
Thrivent Financial For Lutherans  
Tipton Baptist Preschool  
Tisch School of the Arts at New York  
Tot Spot  
Toys for Tots  
Triangle Tech  
Trinity Lutheran Church  
Trinity United Methodist Church  
The Turtle Foundation  
Tyrone Area Food Bank  
Tyrone Community Players  
Tyrone Regional Health Network  
Tyrone-Snyder Public Library  
United Methodist Church  
United States Armed Forces  
Mothers Squad 41  
United States Confluence Of  
Catholic Bishops  
United States Liability Insurance  
United States Naval Academy  
United Way of Blair County  
Unity Presbyterian Church  
Universal Technical Institute  
University of Buffalo  
University of Central Florida  
University of Findlay  
University of Hartford  
University of Louisville  
University of Miami  
University of Michigan  
University of Montevallo  
University of New England  
University of New Haven  
University of North Carolina  
Chapel Hill  
University of North Georgia  
University of Northwestern Ohio  
University of Notre Dame  
University of Oklahoma  
University of Pennsylvania

University of Pittsburgh  
University of Pittsburgh at Bradford  
University of Pittsburgh at Greensburg  
University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown  
University of Rhode Island  
University of South Florida  
University of Southern California  
University of St. Andrews  
University of Tampa  
University of Tennessee at Chattanooga  
University of Tennessee at Knoxville  
University of the Arts  
University of the Sciences  
University of the Sciences in  
Philadelphia  
University of Utah  
University of Vermont  
University of Virginia  
University of Wisconsin Superior  
UNTHSC  
UPMC Altoona Foundation  
UPMC Presbyterian Shadyside  
Ursinus College  
US Military Academy  
US Naval Academy  
Utah State University  
Valley Forge Military Academy  
Victory Therapeutic Horsemanship  
The Village at Morrisons Cove  
Villanova University  
Virginia Military Institute  
Virginia Tech  
Visitors From The Past  
Voice of the Martyrs  
Wagner College  
Waldorf College  
Walgrove's Daycare Pre-School  
Warren County Christian School  
Warren/Forest Higher Education  
Council  
Washington & Jefferson College  
Washington State University  
Way of Truth Ministries  
Waynesburg College  
WBXQ  
We CARE Foundation  
Wehnwood United Methodist Church  
Wesley United Methodist Church  
West Branch School  
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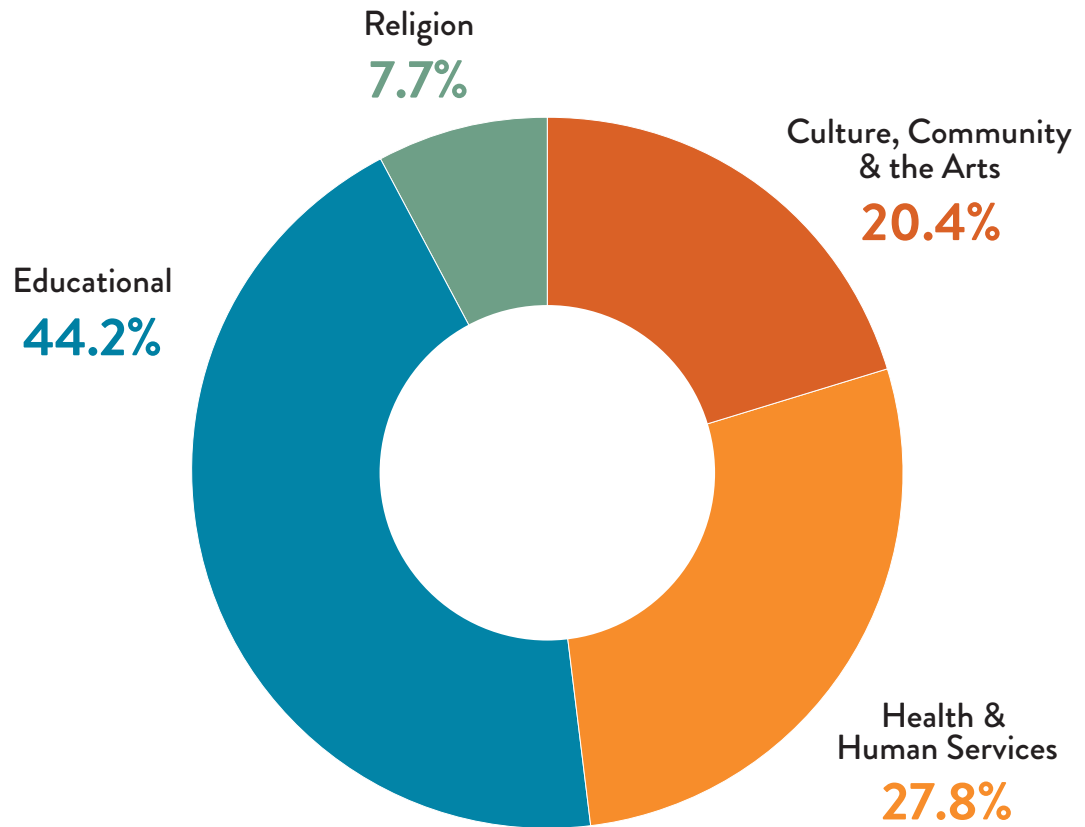
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Williamsburg Area Volunteer Fire  
Company 1  
Williamson College of the Trades  
Williamsport Christian School  
Wilson College  
Wingate University  
WISE Women of Blair County  
Women in Cable Telecommunications  
Woodford Cedar Run Wildlife Refuge  
World Bible Way Fellowship  
Wounded Warrior Project  
WPSX3 (TV)  
Yale University  
YMCA Garver Memorial  
YMCA of Indiana County  
York College  
Young Life of Central PA  
Young Readers Council  
Youngstown State University  
Youth Outreach  
Youth with a Mission West Virginia  
YTI Career Institute of Altoona  
YWCA of Altoona  
Zion Lutheran Church  
Zola Levitt Ministries







# 2023 GRANTS



**\$32.1 Million**

in assets under management & administration

**\$25.8 Million**

awarded in grants & scholarships from 1995–2023

**\$57.9 Million**

managed since inception

# PHILANTHROPY AWARD RECIPIENTS

Each year, the Central Pennsylvania Community Foundation recognizes an outstanding person(s) in our midst who exemplifies our mission

## 2023 - Allan Hancock



Allan G. Hancock was born and raised in Altoona and graduated from Altoona High School in 1953. He served in the United States Army where

he was honorably discharged as a First Lieutenant.

Allan began his career in financial services in 1960. He established his first financial services office in 1963 which he then expanded to form Hancock Associates, Inc and Hancock Capital Management, Inc. These companies are now known as The Hancock Group, Inc. where Allan currently serves as CEO & President. Serving in many leadership positions within the industry, Allan has been past president of the Altoona and Pennsylvania Association of Life Underwriters (AAAIFA - PAIFA), the National Association of Insurance and Financial Advisors (NAIFA), and a 50-year member of The Million Dollar Round Table. He is also a member of The Million Dollar Round Table Foundation (past president) where he is credited for establishing a donor advised program called the Global Gift Fund.

As the mayor of Altoona (1980-1983), Allan was instrumental in such projects as the 17th Street Extension, the Altoona Transportation Center and the City of Altoona Water System.

Allan has also been very active with multiple organizations in our community such as the Blair County Red Cross, Homewood at Martinsburg and is an original board member of the Central Pennsylvania

Community Foundation where he has served as president for over 25 years. Allan's generosity through the years has been outstanding and at the end of 2022 he gifted the Central Pennsylvania Community Foundation with the building that now houses the organization.

Allan has three children and five grandchildren. He and his wife Judy reside in Altoona.

## 2022 - The John & Delores Hillard Family



John and Delores Hillard would be proud that their legacy of giving lives on through the John and Delores Hillard Family Fund that John established in

2005 through the CPCF. Delores died in 2004, and John died in 2013. Since their passing, the Hillards' daughters, Ellen and Alicia, and their grandson, Josh, have continued the family's tradition of philanthropy.

The John and Delores Hillard Family Fund has quietly supported over 50 charitable organizations, including:

- Grace Brethren Church
- Precious Life
- Young Life
- Foundation for Indiana University of Pennsylvania
- Altoona Rescue Mission

John Hillard was a Bellwood-Antis High School and Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science graduate. He was a US Army veteran and the former owner of the Broad Avenue Pharmacy in Altoona, where he worked for 46 years. Delores, worked alongside

him for 41 years. Together, they were active members of the Altoona Grace Brethren Church.

## 2020 & 2021

In order to give appropriate recognition to our next recipient, the CPCF made the decision to postpone having an award winner during the COVID-19 pandemic.

## 2019 - Reid Ritchey



Reid Ritchey felt the importance of being involved with his community from a young age. Reid learned about the value of hard work and community

support while helping out on his grandfather's farm. He served as the president of Ritchey's Dairy until his passing. In addition to his family and work life, he was active in the Lions Club, was a member of the Morrisons Cove Memorial Park Pool board and served on Homewood's board of directors. His love of sports made him a generous supporter of many of the area's youth associations.

Reid supported his community through giving. In the agriculture business, he supported the Future Farmers of America (FFA), PA Dairy Princess, and 4-H, among many others. He was also a large supporter of:

- Morrisons Cove Memorial Park
- Blair County Historical Society
- National MS Society
- American Rescue Workers

## 2018 - Janet & David Hileman



Janet and David Hileman both share a passion for helping their community. David spent 46 years in the dairy farming industry before going on to provide guidance and share his experience on the boards of many local, state, and national organizations including:

- Fort Roberdeau Association
- Agriculture Committee of the ABCD Corporation
- Blair County Chamber of Commerce Agriculture Committee

Janet began her career in accounting, eventually opening her own business doing tax work for farm clients and volunteering as treasurer for local nonprofit organizations, as well as maintaining the financial records for The Hileman's Hilecrest Farm.

David received the Dairyman of the Year Award at the World Dairy Expo in Madison, Wisconsin. David and Janet are passionate about encouraging 4-H programs and support other youth-focused groups. They were presented with the Excellence in Small Business and the Agriculture Community Excellence Awards by the Blair County Chamber of Commerce.

## 2017 - Rosalind & Phillip Sky



The Skys have supported the Greater Altoona Jewish Federation and the Agudath Achim Synagogue, serving on their boards and

participating on committees for the Altoona Jewish Film Festival, Israel Bonds, and the Sisterhood's Next-to-New fundraiser.

The Port Sky Café at Penn State Altoona has also benefited from their

generosity, as has the PSU Altoona campus. The Skys created the STAR (Special Team Always Remember) ongoing Football Scholarship to recognize the seniors of the 2012 Penn State Football team and have been active with Penn State Enactus, a Sheetz Fellows program.

Roz and Phil have actively supported dozens of causes including the:

- Blair County Arts Foundation
- Central PA Humane Society
- The Sky Foundation for awareness and early detection of pancreatic cancer
- To The Sky Foundation, under the CPCF

Roz has been the recipient of the WISE Women of Blair County's Community Service Award, the Shirley A. Pechter Pinnacle Award, and is a CPCF Fellow.

## 2016 - Nancy & Don Devorris



Don and Nancy have devoted their lives to serving our area. Together they have served on over 40 community and philanthropic boards and their

service, as well as their generous financial contributions, have had an immeasurable impact on the area. Don and Nancy have spearheaded many major community improvement projects, actively seeking out ways to continue supporting the organizations that make the area more vibrant.

Don gave his time and leadership to:

- Home Nursing Agency
- Blair County Chamber of Commerce
- Penn's Woods Boy Scout Council
- Rotary Club of Altoona
- St. Francis University
- I-99 Enterprise Committee
- Agudath Achim Synagogue

Don was named as a Pennsylvania State University Distinguished Alumni.

Nancy is one of the founding members of CPCF. She volunteers for and serves on the boards of numerous organizations in Central PA and earned an honorary doctorate as a community philanthropist from Mount Aloysius College in 2010.

## 2015 - Fred N. Imler, Sr.



As a dedicated and longtime member of the Jaffa Shrine, Fred served as its Potentate. During his tenure, he created the Shriners Hospital

Crusade, which began in Altoona and is now recognized in six centers across PA. He served as State Chairman of the Crusade for over 20 years and, in 2003, was one of only three members to be recognized with the Imperial Potentate Award of Merit for his extraordinary contributions to the Shriners Hospitals.

Fred served on the board of directors for the:

- Philadelphia Shriners Hospital For Kids
- Martinsburg Homewood Retirement Community
- Homewood Foundation

Fred sat on the board of the Central Pennsylvania Community Foundation, and served as its treasurer. The Blair County Chamber of Commerce recognized him with the 2012 Lifetime Achievement Award and 2020 Agricultural Community Excellence (ACE) Award.

## 2014 - Stephen G. Sheetz



Stephen Sheetz and his wife, Nancy, are well-known in Central Pennsylvania for their philanthropic efforts. In 2011, the Sheetz Center for

Entrepreneurial Excellence at the Penn State Altoona campus opened its doors thanks to a generous donation from Steve and Nancy.

The couple supports many charitable organizations within their community such as:

- Sister Paula and St. Vincent de Paul Soup Kitchen
- Penn State Altoona
- Arc of Blair County and the Becky Sheetz Building
- Blair County Arts Foundation
- Gloria Gates Memorial Foundation
- Big Brothers Big Sisters of Blair Co.
- Project Soar at the Altoona Area School District Foundation

In 2004, the Blair County Chamber of Commerce recognized Steve with a Lifetime Achievement Award.

## 2013 - Barry J. Halbritter



Barry Halbritter and his wife, Marlene, are an active source of support for many programs in the community. As alumni of Juniata College and

members of the band during their time there, they have long supported the college, largely the Performing Arts Center that carries their name.

Barry continues to support:

- The Village at Morrisons Cove
- Home Nursing Agency
- Blair County Arts Foundation
- Skills of Central PA

- Kiwanis International
- Carson Valley Church of the Brethren

Additionally, Barry serves on the board of directors of the Central Pennsylvania Community Foundation.

## 2012 - Donald L. Detwiler



Donald Detwiler has a long and quiet history of support for numerous local organizations. In 2005, the Blair County Chamber of Commerce

recognized him with a Lifetime Achievement Award.

Don is known for giving of his time, talent, and treasure to many institutions including:

- Altoona Blair County Development Corporation
- American Rescue Workers
- Big Brothers Big Sisters of Blair Co.
- Easter Seals
- First United Methodist Church of Hollidaysburg
- Home Nursing Agency
- Juniata College
- Penn's Woods Council Boy Scouts of America
- United Way
- Your Father's House

## 2011 - Michael W. McLanahan



Michael McLanahan serves as the Chairman of the Board at McLanahan Corporation. He is extremely active as a member of

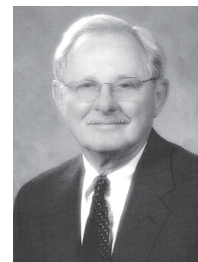
numerous coal and mining industry organizations. He's also a member of the:

- Blair County Republican Committee

- Rotary Club of Hollidaysburg, where he served as President from 1979-80
- Blair County Chamber of Commerce
- Old Timer's Club of Coal Industry Executives
- King Coal Club, where he was a past President

In 2000, Mike had the vision to start the first corporate endowment fund within the Central Pennsylvania Community Foundation. At the time of this gift, it was the largest fund and a turning point in the history of the organization.

## 2010 - Willard E. "Bill" Campbell



The founder of Hoss's Steak and Sea House, Willard "Bill" Campbell is a lifelong supporter of many charitable organizations and educational facilities

in Central Pennsylvania.

Bill has been a frequent supporter of:

- 4-H
- Future Farmers of America (FFA)
- National Multiple Sclerosis Society
- American Cancer Society
- Saint Francis University
- Juniata College
- Indiana University of Pennsylvania

In 2006, the Blair County Chamber of Commerce recognized him with a Lifetime Achievement Award.

## 2009 - John P. Kazmaier



A graduate of Altoona High School and the Valley Forge Military Junior College, John Kazmaier served in Vietnam before

pursuing a long career as a banking executive, followed by time spent

working with The Allegheny Heritage Development Corporation. John was a part of the mission to erect the Gospel Hill Flag, as well as spearheading the campaign for the Altoona Mountain Lion statue. For their philanthropic support, his family was inducted into the Platinum Category of Penn State Altoona's Ivsyde Society.

John's sense of civic pride led to his involvement in many local organizations including:

- Altoona Area School District
- Blair County Arts Foundation
- Blair County Chamber of Commerce
- Greater Altoona Economic Development Corporation

In 2015, John received a Distinguished Honorary Alumnus Award from Penn State University Park and the Southern Alleghenies Museum of Art honored him with an award for outstanding service to the arts.

### 2008 - Dorothea Nelson



Known locally for her quiet giving, the community has benefited immensely from Dorothea Nelson's often anonymous generosity. She

is committed to the Central PA community and passionate about providing a variety of arts opportunities for its people.

Dorothea is a supporter of numerous arts organizations including:

- Southern Alleghenies Museum of Art
- Altoona Symphony Orchestra
- Blair County Arts Foundation

Additionally, Dorothea is an advocate for The Arc of Blair County and Home Nursing Agency.

### 2007 - Ann Benzel



Ann Benzel has a diverse history of community service. She is well-known for her work on the restoration of the historic Mishler Theatre. In 1978,

she joined her husband, Bill, at Benzel's Bretzel Bakery eventually becoming vice-president of marketing in 2001 and then president in 2006.

Ann has served on the:

- Governor's Council on the Arts
- Pennsylvania Humanities Council
- Altoona Area Public Library Board
- Altoona Regional Health System's Foundation for Life

In 2002, she was named one of Pennsylvania's Top 50 Women in Business, and in 2017 received the Patron Award during the Governor's Awards for the Arts in Pennsylvania ceremony. In 2018, Ann was selected as the 17th recipient of the Blair County Chamber of Commerce Lifetime Achievement Award for Business Excellence. She was the first woman ever to receive the Award.

### 2006 - Shirley Pechter



Shirley Pechter served on the board and as three-time president of the Blair County American Cancer Society, a group she worked with

since the mid-1960s when her nine-year-old daughter was diagnosed with a fatal brain tumor. In recognition of her work, she received the Society's inaugural Pinnacle Award—named in her honor—in 2005.

Shirley served on several local boards including Southern Alleghenies Museum of Art and the Altoona Symphony Orchestra. She is a

supporter of the Pechter Family Music Room, at Penn State Altoona.

At Temple Beth Israel in 1969, she was selected as the first female president in the temple's history and only the 5th female president of a reform congregation in the United States. The Altoona YWCA recognized her with its Tribute to Women Award for community service.

### 2005 - Gerald P. Wolf



Gerald Wolf co-founded the Blair County Community Endowment, now known as the Central Pennsylvania Community

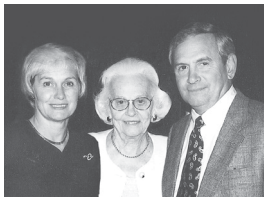
Foundation, in 1995. Though it took some time to launch the endowment, Gerald and the other co-founders were persistent. Gerald and his wife, Aline, are also co-founders of Penn-Mont Academy, the first Montessori school to be licensed in Pennsylvania and the third in the nation.

Gerald has served as a board member of the:

- Ecumenical Conference
- Wolf-Kuhn Foundation
- South Alleghenies Museum of Art
- Blair County Chamber of Commerce and Altoona Blair County Development Corporation
- Altoona Redevelopment Authority, Altoona Merchants Association, and Downtown Altoona Rehabilitation Effort

Additionally, he is the founding treasurer of the Railroaders Memorial Museum.

## 2004 - The Hite Family



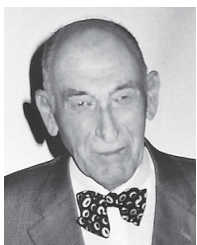
Robert and Evelyn 'Evie' Hite were a shining example of the power

of philanthropic legacy in Central PA. After founding The Hite Company, the pair became active in helping their community. Their children, Lee and Gail, along with respective partners Jane and Michael, continue the family legacy as active supporters of many organizations.

Lee received the inaugural Penn State Altoona Distinguished Service Award, and his commitment to Blair County is apparent in his leadership on the boards of numerous organizations. Gail also serves on numerous community boards, including that of the CPCF. Gail and Michael created the Michael J. and Gail H. Irwin Family Trading Room at Penn State's Sheetz Center for Entrepreneurial Excellence to connect educational experiences with business practices.

In 2018, the family presented a gift to support the LaunchBox for Innovation at Penn State Altoona.

## 2003 - Anthony Misciagna



Anthony Misciagna was a graduate of Altoona High School, who first experienced the power of philanthropy after being

afforded the opportunity to attend Cornell University via the McMullen Scholarship. After serving in WWII, Anthony graduated from Cornell. He then grew his passion for the stock market into his own firm, Misciagna & Company.

Anthony was a supporter of:

- Cornell University and Mount Aloysius College

- Shriner's Hospital for Crippled Children and Burn Institute
- Geisinger Foundation Children's Miracle Network
- Altoona Habitat for Humanity
- Marine Toys for Tots Foundation
- Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown
- Altoona Area School District

In 2006, he made an historic gift to Penn State Altoona that enabled the expansion of The Center for Performing Arts.

## 2002 - Donald E. Wissinger



After working in academia until 1960, Don and wife, Flossie, became instrumental in growing the Wissinger family grocery business

from one to five supermarkets in Blair County.

Don was active with many community organizations including:

- Zion Lutheran Church
- Hollidaysburg YMCA
- Allegheny Lutheran Social Ministries
- United Way
- Blair Concert Chorale

He served as president of the Altoona Chamber of Commerce and the Hollidaysburg Rotary where he received the Paul Harris Fellow Award. He was on the Board of the Commonwealth Bank and served for many years on the Board of Trustees of Susquehanna University.

## 2001 - G. William Ward



G. William "Bill" Ward served as the chairman of the board of Ward Transport and Logistics. In retirement, he focused his efforts

on the community. A champion of Central Pennsylvania and the state as a whole, his service on numerous boards included:

- Altoona Blair County Development Corporation
- Rotary Club of Altoona
- Blair County Chamber of Commerce
- United Way of Blair County

Bill is also a strong supporter of Penn State University and Southern Alleghenies Museum of Art.

## 2000 - T. Dean Lower



T. Dean Lower was the CPCF's first Philanthropy Award Recipient. Dean was a 1935 graduate of Williamsburg High School. He graduated from

Dickinson College and then Yale Law School in 1947. He served in WWII in the U.S. Army Air Corps. Dean was an attorney for 53 years.

Dean was instrumental in the development of the Lower Trail and Lower Lookout at Chimney Rocks, which were named in his memory. Dean endowed a chair with the Altoona Symphony Orchestra and supported many charitable organizations.



# SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

This list includes those scholarships distributed through the CPCF as of December 31, 2023.

## CPCF Distributed 139K in Scholarships in 2023

The Central Pennsylvania Community Foundation (CPCF) distributed \$168,936.74 during its 2023 scholarship cycle. Overall, 203 scholarships were awarded to 148 deserving students of various ages.

Each scholarship has a different criteria and selection process. Scholarship funds within CPCF are created by generous corporate or individual donors interested in supporting a variety of educational paths.

The CPCF gave its first scholarship, the Ardie J Dillen Memorial Scholarship, in 1998. Since then, it has distributed 2,072 scholarships to 1,729 individual students totaling \$1,922,738.55.

### 20 Under 20 Altoona Mirror Scholarship

*Altoona Area High School*

2014 - Nicholas Frank

2016 - Andraé M. Holsey

*Central High School*

2013 - Aaron Kreider

*Chestnut Ridge High School*

2015 - Hannah Miller

*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*

2014 - Jessica Brumbaugh

2015 - Kyle Gornick

*Northern Bedford County High School*

2016 - Hayley Cottle

*Penn Cambria High School*

2013 - Taylor Freeman

### The Sgt. Brandon E. Adams Information Technology Memorial Scholarship

*Greater Altoona Career and Technology Center*

2005 - Jesse Lysinger

2008 - Christopher Gilliland

2009 - Amanda Gorsuch

2010 - Brandon D. Koelle

2011 - Matthew T. Frederick

2012 - Joshua C. Gordon

2013 - Angelica Hoover

2014 - Aaron Grant Cummings

2015 - Dustin Lasher

2017 - Joshua Allison

2018 - Samuel Dick

2021 - Ethan Potter

2022 - Hannah Wilson

2023 - Sheena M. Gallagher

### Alicia's Spirit Alive Scholarships

*Mifflin County High School*

2021 - Leeum Noerr & Emma Yeager

2022 - Abbygail Prendergast & Conner Zimmerman

2023 - Sadie Fike & Ryan Hine

### Officer Chris Amerine Memorial Scholarships

*Altoona Area High School*

2015 - Kaylin N. Becker

2016 - Ethan Blackie

2017 - Kristen E. Beach

2018 - Domenic John Roefaro

2019 - Matthew Hartman

2020 - Jazzmine McCauley

2021 - Nickolas Michael DeAntonio

2022 - Logan James Kline

2023 - Michael Riccio

*Tyrone Area High School*

2015 - Jordyn Greene

2016 - Draven Fisher

2017 - Alexis Condrack

2018 - Zachary Patterson

2022 - Jacob R. Johnson

2023 - Mikenzie Weaver



## **Lisa Meyers Audet Memorial Scholarships**

*Central High School*

- 2017 - Tre Allen Butler, Alexis Hicks, Noah Benjamin Hoover & Joshua McKnight
- 2018 - Kenedi Berkheimer, Lauren Dangel, Josiah Hample & Eva Rhule
- 2019 - Dylan Claycomb, Shannon Detwiler, Jessalyn Smith & Joseph Zimmerman
- 2020 - Jenna Carder, Sarah Griffith, Victoria Longenecker, Kaylee McClain & Kenzie Mock
- 2021 - Alyssa Bartley, Ryen Deterline, Lucy May & Kerstin White
- 2022 - Carly Elizabeth Dixon, Olesya Lebedeva, Tomi May, Haylie Mingle, Joshua P. Waite & Vendala Weitzel
- 2023 - Jillian Dalansky, Bailey Dodson, John M. Harker, Alex Koltz, Timothy McFarland & Kade Rhule

*Hingham High School, MA*

- 2016 - Scott Whitney
- 2017 - Angela J. White
- 2018 - Brendan Bettencourt
- 2019 - Kayla Collins
- 2020 - Christopher Williamson
- 2021 - Rhiannon Peacock
- 2022 - Charlotte Andrews
- 2023 - Lily Andrey

## **BAHS Class of '85 Scholarship**

*Bellwood-Antis High School*

- 2016 - Maria McFarland & Caroline L. Showalter
- 2017 - Joseph Padula & Devon Zheng
- 2018 - Jared Zitterbart
- 2019 - Paulino A. Cuevas
- 2020 - Maggie Erickson & Sydney Lechner
- 2021 - Jacob Bollinger
- 2022 - Dawson G. Miller

## **Timothy A. Bartek Memorial Scholarship**

*Greater Altoona Career and Technology Center*

- 2017 - Dylan M. Singer
- 2018 - Bradley Keagy
- 2019 - David George Campbell, Jr.
- 2020 - Nathan Kurtz
- 2021 - Nicholas Leberfinger
- 2022 - Brooke S. Langenbacher
- 2023 - Emma Dibert

## **Because We Care Foundation Criminal Justice Scholarship**

*Altoona Area High School*

2019 - Matthew Hartman

2022 - Morgan Sarver

*Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*

2021 - Julia F. Runk

*Tyrone Area High School*

2020 - Cody W. Harpster

2022 - Jacob R. Johnson

2023 - Mikenzie Weaver

## **Because We Care Foundation Early Childhood Development Scholarship**

*Altoona Area High School*

2020 - Stevie Hoover

*Bellwood-Antis High School*

2019 - Kara Engle

*Holidaysburg Area Senior High School*

2022 - Camryn Figard

*Tyrone Area High School*

2021 - Lucia Isenberg

2022 - Alayna Capobianco

2023 - Chloe M. LaRosa

## **Adolph Benzel Memorial Scholarship**

*Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*

2016 - Marina Scipioni

2017 - Lili Benzel

2021 - Daniela Scipioni

*Delaware County Christian School*

2017 - Cheyenne March

*Holidaysburg Area Senior High School*

2016 - Korrina M. Himes

2020 - Mackenzie Garman

*Saint Francis University*

2017 - Max Benzel

## **Lance Bettwy-Gottshall Scholarship**

*Duquesne University*

2020 - Sage Ferchalk

*Juniata College*

2018 - Ashley E. Clark

2019 - Vanessa K. Ponder & Seth Lowey

2020 & 2021 - Vanessa K. Ponder

2022 - Julia Grill & Olivia Cooley

2023 - Julia Grill

*Lincoln Memorial University School of Medical Sciences*

2020 - Christine Lienau

*Mount Aloysius College*

2017 - Maliqua K. Walker

*Penn State Altoona*

2022 - Mary Wilson



## **Mary M. Bigelow-Sleek Memorial Scholarship**

*Tyrone Area High School*

2007 - Casie Glashauser

2008 - Nicole L. Moore

2009 - Heather Jones

2011 - Samantha Blair Emeigh

2013 - Alayna Hettinger

2014 - Caitlin A. Williams

2015 - Samantha P. McClucas

2016 - Kacey Poorman

2017 - Kara Mills

2018 - Mikayla Stroup

2020 - Allysan Jones

2021 - Makenna Bauer

2022 - Lexus Weaver

2023 - Jaden Williams

## **Blair Companies Scholarships**

*Altoona Area High School*

2009 - Kayla Morgan

2010 - Brice L. Nagle

2012 - Dalen J. Stroh & Casey Wright  
 2013 - Samantha Winrick  
 2019 - Bradley Kaufman  
 2023 - Madeline Garcia  
*Berean Christian High School, CA*  
 2011 - Taylor Courtney Albert  
 2013 - Hunter Albert  
*Glendale High School*  
 2018 - Shyann Beatty  
 2023 - Dravin Allan Beatty  
*Halls High School, Knoxville, TN*  
 2018 - Mikayla Worthington  
*Heritage High School, Maryville, TN*  
 2015 - Steven Taylor Swicegood  
 2020 - Chandler Jackson Ford  
*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*  
 2014 - Andrea Ridenour  
 2016 - Sandy Rayes & Meaghan McEldowney  
*Lanier High School, Sugar Hill, GA*  
 2021 - Alexander Miles  
*Northern Cambria High School*  
 2010 - Ashley M. Baker  
*State College Area High School*  
 2015 - Sara Barnett  
*Tyrone Area High School*  
 2011 - Tanner J. Noll

**Blair County Civic Music Foundation Scholarships**

*Altoona Area High School*  
 2003 - Dennis Karl  
 2006 - Megan Marcaurelle, Christina Pazcoguin, Alex Sackandy & Alicia Varsho  
 2007 - Richard Ebersole  
 2008 - Anthony M. Cornet  
 2009 - Lucas Patterson  
 2011 - Edward M. Brand & Paul Cassarly  
 2013 - Emily Brumbaugh & Gwyneth “Aislinn” Feathers  
 2016 - Shaymus Dugan  
 2017 - Hanna Wyland  
 2018 - Riley “Brandon” Eichenlaub  
 2019 - Jakob Kibler  
*Bellwood-Antis High School*  
 2012 - Emily Tompkins  
 2013 - Bailey Campbell  
 2019 - Shalee Bennett  
*Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*  
 2004 - Typhani Russo  
 2009 - Maura Murphy

2010 - Alex Horell  
 2021 - Ellie Irwin & Maddie Smith  
 2023 - Grace Broadrick  
*Central High School*  
 2020 - Clint Curfman  
 2022 - McCailey Flaugh  
*Claysburg-Kimmel High School*  
 2017 - Maria Knisely  
 2020 - Maggie Knisely  
*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*  
 2002 - Allison Wagner  
 2004 - Ian Hersey  
 2005 - Megan Reimer  
 2008 - Krista Lynn Heslop  
 2009 - Zachary Weirich  
 2010 - Shannon Duffey  
 2011 - Brooke Giblock & Holly Mercer  
 2012 - Caleb R. Gildea & Colin Heining  
 2014 - Eli Wood & Taylor Baum  
 2015 - McKennah Rabel, Audrey Simpson, Dominic Walls & Blake Walter  
 2017 - Grace Everett & John Dennis McCoy  
 2020 - Connor Huttenlocher  
 2021 - Sage Evans & Elizabeth Yoder  
 2022 - Caleb Frailey & Kristen M. Pappal  
*Penn State Altoona*  
 2008 - Samuel J. Wagner  
*Point Park College*  
 2003 - Katie Palenscar  
*Tyrone Area High School*  
 2009 - Ashton Snyder  
 2016 - Sarah Isenberg  
 2023 - Elizabeth Fryer

**Blair County United Survivor Scholarship sponsored by the Scott Garlick Memorial Foundation**

*Altoona Area High School*  
 2020 - Evan Garlick  
*Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*  
 2022 - Tessa Klock  
 2023 - Elaine Farabaugh  
*Tyrone Area High School*  
 2019 - Lauren J. Taylor  
 2023 - Kevin Fink  
*Williamsburg Area High School*  
 2021 - Marcella Lynn



**Blair Gastroenterology Associates “Guts and Glory” Scholarships**

*Altoona Area High School*  
 2023 - Marin Cooney  
*Bald Eagle Area High School*  
 2023 - Abigail Hoover & Adelle Leiter  
*Bedford High School*  
 2021 - Abbygale Grace Bagley & Jordan Brown  
 2023 - Peri Bagley  
*Bellwood-Antis High School*  
 2021 - Brendon T. Miller & Mikayla Rodland  
 2022 - Giovanna Caracciolo & Samantha Gerwert  
 2023 - Lauren Rodland  
*Bishop Carrol Catholic High School*  
 2023 - Thomas C. Urbain  
*Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*  
 2021 - Giavanna Bambocci & Julia F. Runk  
*Central High School*  
 2022 - Lauren Fogle & Joclynn Ramsey  
*Central Cambria High School*  
 2022 - Robert L. Lazer  
*Claysburg-Kimmel High School*  
 2022 - Emma Shirk  
*Everett Area High School*  
 2023 - Braelin Asea Downs  
*Forest Hills Junior-Senior High School*  
 2021 - Tanner Kalmanir  
 2022 - Natalie Carosi  
*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*  
 2021 - Madalyn Smith, Agnes P. Hoover, Emma John & Evan Shale  
 2022 - George W. Cummings IV & Aubrie Sipes

2023 - Alex Palmueller  
*Huntingdon Area High School*  
 2023 - Brandon Stuber  
*Northern Bedford High School*  
 2021 - Ella Grace Gable  
*Penn Cambria High School*  
 2023 - Madison Cavalet &  
 Austin E. Wheeler  
*Tyrone Area High School*  
 2023 - Hailey Houck, Riley K.  
 Lawson, Mackenzie Ritter  
 & Vivian Sciarillo

**Blair Type 1 Diabetes  
 Foundation Scholarships**

*Bellwood-Antis High School*  
 2021 - Wyatt Anderson  
*Central High School*  
 2022 - Andrew H. E. Laufle &  
 Vendala Weitzel  
*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*  
 2021 - Emma Ricker



**Richard K. Bouslough  
 Memorial Education  
 Scholarships**

*Central High School*  
 2003 - Jennifer Bechtel  
 2004 - Lynnae Stern  
 2005 - Bonnie Brady  
 2006 - Megan Byler  
 2007 - Alicia Nevins  
 2008 - Joanna Stoltz  
 2009 - Jenna Farkus  
 2010 - Shane Cafferty  
 2011 - Samantha Dilling  
 2012 - Paige K. Mock  
 2013 - Megan Witkovsky  
 2014 - Mattison C. Shepley  
 2016 - Darby Boyles  
 2017 - Derek Becker  
 2018 - Alyssa Brumbaugh

2019 - Jenna Dunn  
 2020 - Braden Kitt  
 2022 - Ella Lovett  
 2023 - Bailey Dodson  
*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*  
 2003 - Mindy Salyards  
 2004 - Anne Crilly  
 2005 - Tonee D. Byrnes  
 2006 - Jennifer McConnell  
 2007 - John Albright  
 2008 - Tommi Ann Church  
 2009 - Tessa Russell  
 2010 - Kaitlyn Felty  
 2011 - Meghan N. Love  
 2012 - Caleb R. Gildea  
 2013 - Kristen Murgó  
 2014 - Courtney Storm &  
 Laura R. Horne  
 2015 - Kayla Irvin  
 2016 - Allison Church  
 2017 - Casey Martin  
 2018 - Alyssa Marie Brozenich  
 2019 - Katelyn Nicole Diehl  
 2020 - Darrek Harshberger  
 2021 - Rita Kendziora &  
 Meghan Knisely  
 2022 - Vincent Franco  
 2023 - Ellen Yarnell

**David D. Brozgal Memorial  
 Scholarship**

*Altoona Area High School*  
 2014 - Alexis Schumacher  
 2015 - Nathan Scheinberg  
 2019 - Olivia P. Lee  
 2020 - Kaila Hohman  
*Bellwood-Antis High School*  
 2012 - Hannah K. Claar  
*Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*  
 2016 - Allison Bare  
 2022 - Caitlyn Leigh McConnell  
*Claysburg-Kimmel High School*  
 2011 - Erica Kristina Dawn Finnegan  
*Hollidaysburg Area High School*  
 2018 - Delaney Clemens  
*Tyrone Area High School*  
 2013 - Olivia Adams  
*Williamsburg Area High School*  
 2021 - Hannah Elizabeth  
 Brenneman

**Center for Adoption  
 Education of Central PA  
 Scholarship**

*Altoona Area High School*  
 2013 - Marissa V. Morgan  
 2022 - Hailey Frontino & Kayla Lord  
*Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*  
 2015 - Danielle Rudolf  
 2021 - Allison Bagley  
 2023 - Grace Broadrick  
*Central High School*  
 2014 - Jordan Irvin  
 2020 - Lainie Heuston  
*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*  
 2010 - Taylor Andrew McConnell  
 2011 - Chanelle J. Meadows  
 2012 - Alex G. Baker  
*Penn Cambria High School*  
 2019 - Shyan Yahner-Golby  
*Tyrone Area High School*  
 2016 - Anastasia Lee Walk  
 2017 - Haley Butina  
 2018 - Molly Harris &  
 Erin McKenna  
 2022 - Mario Grugan  
 2023 - Sarah Butina &  
 Ashlynn McKinney

**Harry E. Clarke Scholarships**

*Central High School*  
 2001 - Katherine Bloomquist &  
 Andrew Miller  
 2002 - Laura Gearhart & Ben Miller  
 2003 - Jennifer Bechtel &  
 Derek Bassler  
 2004 - Lindsee Ruggles &  
 Nathan Dubbs  
 2005 - Jeffrey Ewart &  
 Rebecca Crooks  
 2006 - Shannon Laratonda &  
 Sam Williams  
 2007 - Ashley Piper &  
 Justin Hammond  
 2008 - Chelsea Steward &  
 Jeffrey Steward  
 2009 - Laura Smith &  
 Brok Greenleaf  
 2010 - Laura Ewart & Jared Salyards  
 2011 - Sarah E. Ormsby &  
 Tyler Clark  
 2012 - Mark Brumbaugh &  
 Lindsey J. Smith  
 2013 - Jena Rae Gunnett &  
 Andrew R. Brumbaugh

- 2014 - Laura Ritchey & AJ Frederick
- 2015 - Brody Greenleaf & Mikaela R. McGraw
- 2016 - Jenna Berzansky & John-Michael Knepp
- 2017 - Hannah Johnston & Chase Smith
- 2018 - Lauren Dangel & Joey Smith
- 2019 - Noah S. Muthler & Kara Stultz
- 2020 - Clint Curfman & Emma Lingenfelter
- 2021 - Eliana Eicher & Landon Williams
- 2022 - Averey Black & Joshua Waite
- 2023 - Seth Bean & Ella Garner

**Paul & Margaret Cooney Memorial Scholarship**

- Tyrone Area High School*
- 2010 - Levi Reihart
  - 2011 - Ashley Mae Morningstar

**Courage for Kiera Foundation Scholarships**

- Altoona Area High School*
- 2018 - Ariel Walton, McKenna Elyse Dugan, Delanie Igoe, Jeremy D. Keirn & Jessie Pensyl
  - 2019 - Ian Gregory Brannan, Lindsay Horton, Jakob Kibler & Caitlyn Maher
  - 2020 - Kayli Barefoot, Emily Bucher, Raquel Dunio, Daniel Kennedy, Makayla Grace Ruggery, Sarah Stanley & Jonah Seth Zolnak
  - 2021 - Morgan Ardrey, Seth Brunnhuber & Nicholas Leberfinger
  - 2022 - Hailey Frontino, Cassandra Vaughn, Caeden Clapper & Justin M. Fleck
  - 2023 - Emma Chirdon, Emma Kathryn Feigh & Nina McCarville



**Cove Adoptive Families Scholarship**

- Claysburg Kimmel High School*
- 2023 - Nichole Ruby
  - Northern Bedford County High School*
  - 2023 - Evan Coffey

**CPCF Board of Directors Memorial Scholarship (VIP2CPCF)**

- Williamsburg Jr./Sr. High School*
- 2023 - Liliana M. Neri

**James and Kathryn Crawford Memorial Scholarship - Agriculture**

- Tyrone Area High School*
- 2022 - Grace Peterson
  - 2023 - Hailey Houck

**James and Kathryn Crawford Memorial Scholarship - Education**

- Tyrone Area High School*
- 2022 - Alayna Capobianco
  - 2023 - Chloe LaRosa

**Bonnie & Robert Decker Scholarship**

- Tyrone Area High School*
- 2023 - Libby Keller

**Ardie J. Dillen Memorial Scholarship**

- Altoona Area High School*
- 1998 - Mathew Langguth
  - 1999 - Michael Burgmeier
  - 2000 - James Burchfield
  - 2001 - Mart Marasco
  - 2002 - Nathan Coldwell
  - 2003 - Jonathan Klingeman
  - 2004 - Adam Macak
  - 2005 - Joshua James Langenbacher
  - 2006 - Kenny Dodson

- 2007 - Mark Van Blargan
- 2008 - Tyler Ross Stenger
- 2009 - Rayme Benzel
- 2010 - Jonathan Mark Snyder
- 2011 - William Vincent Aiken
- 2012 - Louis Andrew Bettwy
- 2013 - Zachary Tyler Bracken
- 2014 - Andrew James Matzik
- 2015 - Deric J. Blackie
- 2016 - Andrae M. Holsey
- 2017 - Anthony M. Koehle III
- 2018 - Evan Scott Noll
- 2019 - Parker Jacob Beeler
- 2020 - Lyric Koelle
- 2021 - Jeremy Campbell
- 2022 - Dillan Dantos
- 2023 - Coby Dawson

**Erin Dodson Memorial Scholarship**

- Altoona Area High School*
- 2012 - Lauren Hippo
  - 2013 - Shania Feathers & Joseph Settimo
  - 2015 - Chad Allender
  - 2016 - Emily Little & Andrea Parrish
  - 2017 - Mykenah Lynn-Massar
  - 2018 - Lindsey Hallinan
  - 2019 - Isabella Zavalanski
  - 2020 - Margaret Fox
  - 2021 - Isabella Frank
  - 2022 - Kaylee Smith
  - 2023 - Kelly Terrebonne
- Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*
- 2014 - Alexis Palfey

**Franklin M. (Frankie) Finelli II Memorial Scholarship**

- Greater Altoona Career and Technology Center*
- 2001 - Andrew Gartmann
  - 2002 - Nathan Coldwell
  - 2003 - Corey Pincherri
  - 2004 - Jessica Giarth
  - 2005 - Andrew P. Hoover
  - 2006 - Peter Cassarby
  - 2007 - Jason Reffner
  - 2008 - Kourtney W. Laratonda & Josh Lightner
  - 2009 - Nicolas Royer & Ty Wilson
  - 2010 - Anthony Weakland
  - 2011 - Brittany Dempsie & Kimberly Marie Bumbarger
  - 2012 - Christopher Lee Harpster

- 2013 - Cole E. Burghard & Robert G. Yahner
- 2015 - Kaleb William Garman & Tanner A. Huff
- 2016 - Courtney Hamilton
- 2017 - Melanie Boggs & Dylan M. Singer
- 2018 - Noah Jacob Reighard & Robert W. Spaid
- 2019 - Katelyn J. Musselman
- 2020 - Andrew Beach & Nathan Kurtz
- 2021 - Zachary Cunningham
- 2022 - Kyle DeStefano & Mason Young

**Janessa Fleming Memorial Scholarship**

*Homer-Center Jr. Sr. High School*

- 2013 - Taylor Doyka
- Franklin Regional Senior High School*
- 2014 - Ryan Baker
- Glendale Jr. Sr. High School*
- 2015 - Olivia McGarvey
- Greensburg Central Catholic High School*
- 2014 - Austin K. Sheffield
- Indiana Area Senior High School*
- 2014 - Abigail Zyhowski
- Saltsburg Middle/High School*
- 2015 - Larissa Anderson
- Western PA School for the Deaf*
- 2014 - Bradley Matthew Speck
- 2015 - Megan Majocho & Michael Weber



**Mikayla “Mick” Focht Memorial Scholarships**

- Altoona Area High School*
- 2022 - Abby Smearman
- 2023 - Gracie Wilt
- Bellefonte Area High School*
- 2018 - Alexis Wetzler

- Bellwood-Antis High School*
- 2020 - Faith Patton & Haley Schmidt
- 2021 - Abigail Snyder
- 2023 - Ashlyn Snyder
- Cambria Heights High School*
- 2021 - Elizabeth White
- Central High School*
- 2023 - Maya Hazenstab
- Central Dauphin High School*
- 2021 - Isabella “Bella” Culp
- Dubois Area High School*
- 2022 - Lauren Walker
- Everett Area High School*
- 2023 - Olivia Hillegas
- Glendale High School*
- 2019 - Alexis Mulhollen
- 2020 - Breanna Vereshack
- 2022 - Hanna Noel
- Great Commission School*
- 2022 - Kyla Campbell
- Hollidaysburg Area High School*
- 2023 - Rachel Musselman
- Huntingdon Area High School*
- 2020 - Destiny Renaye Biemesderfer
- Moshannon Valley High School*
- 2022 - Abby Gilson
- Mount Union High School*
- 2018 - Sarah Gearhart & Diana Roher
- 2019 - Madison Harris & Payton Low
- 2020 - Destinie Myers
- 2021 - Morgan Brumbaugh
- Philipsburg Osceola High School*
- 2019 - Kameryn Harris
- 2020 - Adria Lewis
- Richland High School*
- 2023 - Anna Burke
- Southern Huntingdon High School*
- 2018 - BayLee Jenkins
- Tyrone Area High School*
- 2020 - Cate Baran
- 2021 - Ella Pearson
- 2023 - Elizabeth Pearson & Ryan Seeger

**Doreen Fogle Memorial Scholarship**

- Altoona Area High School*
- 2013 - Gwyneth “Aislinn” Feathers
- 2014 - Kyle Thomas Heasley
- 2015 - Taylor J. Buchness

- 2016 - Abigail Orr
- 2017 - Sarah U. Brumbaugh
- Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*
- 2013 - Adam Evanko
- 2014 - Anna Dunning
- 2015 - Hannah Carey
- 2016 - Jacob Campbell Kurtz
- 2017 - Kathleen Price

**Ralph E. Force Memorial Scholarships**

- Altoona Area High School*
- 2020 - Lam Vo
- 2021 - Gabriella Squires
- 2022 - Aaron Chaplin
- 2023 - Logan Brandt
- Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*
- 2021 - Jaedyn Montler
- 2022 - Blane Davidson
- 2023 - Ian Bennett
- Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*
- 2020 - Alyssa Prendergast
- 2021 - Elizabeth Sheehan
- 2022 - Alexandar Fix
- 2023 - Riley Hensley

**Vince Frank “Big V” Memorial Scholarship**

- Altoona Area High School*
- 2016 - Andrea Parrish
- 2017 - Ethan Wood
- 2019 - Morgan Fleck
- 2020 - Andrew Eisel
- 2022 - Ethan Stroup
- Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*
- 2018 - Ethan Wesner
- 2021 - Andrew Yanoshak
- 2023 - Lia A. Simanski

**The William E. (Bill) Frank & Swiss Club of Altoona Memorial Scholarship**

- Altoona Area High School*
- 2014 - Jonathon Stolz
- 2015 - Kayla Letscher
- 2016 - Madison Frank & Rio Grassmyer
- 2017 - Makayla Lauren Louise Ianuzzi
- 2018 - Abigail Elizabeth Frank
- 2019 - Gage Ian Reid & Zoe J. Wilson
- 2020 - Andrew Eisel
- 2021 - Isabella Frank
- 2022 - Jacey Kutz

- 2023 - Colin Monahan  
*Bellwood-Antis High School*
- 2014 - Ellen Catherine Crook
- 2021 - Lauren Heisler
- 2022 - Samantha Gerwert  
*Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*
- 2015 - Jordan Rhone
- 2017 - Andrew Irwin
- 2020 - Amelia Rachael Morning
- 2023 - Olivia Trotter  
*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*
- 2018 - Daniel C. Calvert

**Wendell B. Gahagan  
Community Service Award**

- Central High School*
- 2010 - Jared Salyards
  - 2011 - Trent Forshey
  - 2012 - Ian Ebersole
  - 2013 - Harleyann Dixon
  - 2014 - Katelyn Zimmerman
  - 2015 - Jessica M. Orczcek &  
Hope Zimmerman
  - 2016 - Austin Berkheimer
  - 2017 - Alexandra Garver
  - 2018 - Cassie Mock
  - 2019 - Alyssa Reed
  - 2020 - Victoria Waite
  - 2021 - Jabon Butler
  - 2022 - Elijah Lingenfelter &  
Kyla Glass
  - 2023 - Connor Hummel

**John J. Gallace Memorial  
Scholarship**

- Altoona Area High School*
- 2011 - Danna Cheung
  - 2012 - David Tini
  - 2013 - Jordan Rouzer
  - 2014 - Kaylyn Rose Ebersole
  - 2015 - Noah Katcher
  - 2016 - Brandis Ajay
  - 2017 - Kyle Siskron-Leonard
  - 2018 - Jesse Hamilton
  - 2019 - Christian Samuel Howard
  - 2020 - Makayla Grace Ruggery
  - 2021 - Alex Thaler
  - 2022 - Luke Rokosky
  - 2023 - Jacob Clair Steinbugl, Jr.

**Captain Bob Gallardy  
Memorial Scholarships**

- Altoona Area High School*
- 2019 - Ian M. Yon



- Forest Hills Senior High School*
- 2016 - Matthew Marra
  - 2021 - Lucas Smay  
*Central High School*
  - 2022 - Madison Musselman  
*Greater Altoona Career and  
Technology Center*
  - 2015 - Shannon Glenny,  
Geoffrey Sosnowski &  
Michelle R. Troxell
  - 2023 - Haley Holder

**Scott Garlick Memorial  
Scholarship**

- Greater Altoona Career and  
Technology Center*
- 2009 - Eric Cherry
  - 2010 - Gary L. Nagle Jr.
  - 2011 - Nicholas M. Bowser
  - 2012 - Mark E. Cassalry
  - 2013 - Jonathan Snowberger
  - 2014 - Noah Dean Eberwein
  - 2015 - Robert Whiteman
  - 2016 - Branden Curry
  - 2017 - Noah J. Foor
  - 2018 - Aleah Marie Emlet
  - 2019 - Nicholas Young
  - 2020 - Kayden Tremmel
  - 2021 - Nicholas Leberfinger
  - 2022 - Ian Cox
  - 2023 - Evan Jennings

**Scott Garlick Memorial  
Soccer Scholarship**

- Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*
- 2010 - David A. Morgan
  - 2011 - David M. Smilnak
  - 2012 - Brandon Soellner
  - 2013 - Christopher Martinelli
  - 2014 - Lucas Riggleman
  - 2015 - Joseph Gualdoni
  - 2016 - Zachary Viduya
  - 2017 - Sammy Obeid

- 2018 - Dalton A. Byrnes
- 2019 - Jack Hatajik
- 2020 - Ethan Pinter
- 2021 - Atticus Imhoff
- 2022 - Broderick Yoder
- 2023 - Jadd Younes

**Graystone Scholarship From  
The Jeff & Vikki Long Family  
Foundation**

- Tyrone Area High School*
- 2018 - Derrick Harris &  
Mikayla Stroup
  - 2019 - Kylee Gooding &  
Morgan Myers
  - 2020 - Madelyn Diebold &  
Caleb Orr
  - 2021 - Mara Focht & Ella Pearson
  - 2022 - Colton Luke Brooks &  
Paige Ann Elizabeth Shultz
  - 2023 - Jaden Williams &  
Olivia Zimmerman

**John B. Gummo Memorial  
Scholarship**

- Tyrone Area High School*
- 2018 - Emily Lehman
  - 2019 - Andrew R. Ferguson
  - 2020 - Matthew A. Savino
  - 2021 - Brandon Lucas
  - 2022 - Aiden Coleman
  - 2023 - Kolten Miller

**Allan Hancock Family  
Foundation Scholarship**

- Altoona Area High School*
- 2009 - Scott Andrews
- Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*
- 2012 - Carl Deren Beard

**Hancock Group Employees  
& Associates Foundation  
Scholarship**

- Altoona Area High School*
- 2006 - Holly J. Scheffer
  - 2012 - Hunter Preston Carlheim
  - 2015 - Sydney Page &  
Haley Marie Walker
  - 2016 - Michaela Detwiler
  - 2017 - Ethan M. Wood
  - 2023 - Evan Peter-Alexander  
Alwine
- Bellwood-Antis High School*
- 2004 - Jonathan Somerton
  - 2007 - Natasha Ray

2013 - Kathleen J. VanKirk  
*Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*  
 2005 - Erin Kathleen Neely  
 2010 - Ryan Colyer  
*Central High School*  
 2004 - Lindsee Ruggles  
 2006 - Brooke Decker  
 2008 - Lori Kephart  
 2016 - Caroline Taylor  
 2017 - Hannah Johnston  
 2020 - Lexa Weyant  
 2021 - Emily Dunn  
 2022 - McCailey Flaugh &  
 Luke Knisely

*Chestnut Ridge Senior High School*

2008 - Leanna B. Noon  
 2018 - Logan J. Cooper  
 2019 - Miranda Horn  
 2020 - Noah C. Hillegass  
 2021 - Kyle Lohr

*Great Commission School*

2007 - C. Jacob Weber  
 2018 - Aaron J. Bracken

*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*

2009 - Adam Bettwy  
 2010 - Lindsay Gonsman  
 2011 - Ryan Patrick Ickes

*Penn Cambria High School*

2009 - Justine Hrzic

*Tyrone Area High School*

2011 - Tabatha Steele  
 2012 - Alicia Kurtz  
 2013 - Michaila Kruis  
 2014 - Katie Bowser  
 2019 - Micah Woomer  
 2023 - Josephine Mills

*Williamsburg High School*

2014 - Laura Allison

**The Hetrick Family Scholarship**

*Central High School*

2020 - Abram Mellott  
 2021 - Ryen Deterline  
 2022 - Joclynn Ramsey  
 2023 - Elyse Dilling

**Heuston Scholarships**

*Central High School*

2002 - Valerie Smith & Justin Lynn  
 2003 - Heather Leighty &  
 Danielle Greenleaf  
 2004 - Nicholas Wills &  
 Matthew Hoover

2005 - Craig Ebersole &  
 Jennifer Stern  
 2006 - Katharine Hickey &  
 Devon Swanson  
 2007 - Justin Hammond &  
 Heidi Eastep  
 2008 - Jason Gibson &  
 Adrienne Williams  
 2009 - Angela Banks &  
 Abigail Kreider  
 2010 - Laura Ewart &  
 Kaitlyn Hammond  
 2011 - Rachel Fry & Tyler Clark  
 2012 - Sarah Sault &  
 Matthew Prokop  
 2013 - Jena Gunnett &  
 Hannah Shingler  
 2014 - Laura Ritchey &  
 Conner Johnson  
 2015 - Kale Burket &  
 Hope Zimmerman  
 2016 - Megan Shingler &  
 John-Michael Knepp  
 2017 - Hannah Cole &  
 Jacob P. Muthler  
 2018 - Yvonne Longenecker &  
 Eva Rhule  
 2019 - Jenna Dunn &  
 Caden Hazenstab  
 2020 - Tyson Daughenbaugh &  
 Lindsey Kensinger  
 2021 - Jabon Butler & Emily Dunn  
 2022 - Luke Knisely &  
 Harleigh Thoma  
 2023 - Eli Lingenfelter &  
 Maia Jeffries

**David & Janet Hileman Scholarships**

*Altoona Area High School*

2017 - Joshua Frye  
 2021 - Austin Frye

*Bellwood-Antis High School*

2011 - Rochelle Donahue  
 2016 - Kelcie Dennis &  
 Zane Wenner  
 2017 - Abie Boutiller &  
 Michael S. Cherry  
 2018 - Kermit P. Foor IV  
 2023 - Dominic Daughenbaugh

*Central High School*

2006 - Robyn Bechtel, Courtney  
 Huntsman & Jenna Smith

2007 - Heidi Eastep &  
 Stephen Rhodes  
 2008 - Michelle Marie Edwards &  
 Samantha Gorman  
 2012 - Rebecca Butler, Martha  
 Hinish & Matt Ritchey  
 2013 - Andrew Brumbaugh &  
 Tiffany Pheasant  
 2014 - Laura Ritchey  
 2015 - Jessica M. Orczeck  
 2016 - Austin Berkheimer  
 2017 - Jenna Metzler &  
 Anna Ormsby  
 2018 - Yvonne Longenecker,  
 Katelyn Harker & Blair Miller  
 2019 - Kase Smith &  
 Kara Nichole Stultz  
 2020 - Lindsey Kensinger,  
 Victoria Longenecker &  
 Kaylee McClain  
 2021 - Madison Benfer &  
 Dana Heltzel  
 2022 - Faith Brumbaugh &  
 Katheryn Longenecker  
 2023 - Elyse Dilling, Ella Garner,  
 Darcy Heltzel & Brynn Miller

*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*

2008 - Garrett L. Harris

*Tyrone Area High School*

2007 - Russell Beck, Jenna Dillon,  
 Tyler Gillmen, Tyler Golden,  
 Daniel Stover &  
 Joshua Wright  
 2008 - Brock David Anders, Josh  
 Bradley, Lindsay Christine,  
 Amanda Lynn Conrad,  
 Johnny Franco, Brandon  
 Gehret, Christi Stringer &  
 Shayne T. Tate  
 2009 - Sara Bechtel, Jeremy  
 Barlett, Jordan Berry,  
 Ross Black, Andrew Clark,  
 Amanda Detwiler, Mark  
 Mingle, Crystal Waite &  
 Dustin Weaver  
 2010 - Chynna Rae Beisel,  
 Christina Brisbin, Andrew  
 Brokenshire, Rachel M.  
 Emigh, Logan Harper, Daniel  
 Kilgus, Dillon McKeehen,  
 Levi Reihart, Kaitlin Spangler  
 & Shane Walker  
 2011 - Zachary K. Burke, Derrick  
 Emigh, Ronald Garbinsky II,



- Elizabeth Kirkpatrick, Laura Lehner, Ian Murray, Montana Peightal, Laikan C. Replogle, Kyle Ripka & Walter Russell
- 2012 - Jacquelyn Banks, Emily Brokenshire, Alison M. Conrad, John Friday, Kelsi Harmon, Nicholas Patton, Markus R. Wagner & Samantha Mary Sessamen
- 2013 - Jacob Belinda, Katherine Bock, Alexis Brooks, Joshua R. Fetters, Wyatt L. Fowler, Lia Gavazzi, Nicole Gripp, Alayna Hettinger, Emily Jamison, John B. Makdad, Alexis Li McKenna, Morgan Taylor, Kendra Voyzey & DJ Wunder
- 2014 - Jared Beckwith, Ryan W. Cox, Brandon Gripp, Amanda Rose Lay, Jared Muir, Johnny Payne, Lucy Raftery, Rosa Shuey, Jordyn Swogger, Seth W. Umholtz & Erik Wagner
- 2015 - Samantha Aungst, Cameron Bakhsheshe, Andrew R. Bartos, Blake Brooks, Nicholas Getz, Andrew Hockenberry, Aleic Hunter, Karah Kaltenbaugh, Molly LaPorte, Mark Lewis, Shaye L. Loose, Kaitland Lynch, Jacob Makdad, Amber Reese, Elijah Sleeth, Nathaniel J. Soellner, Joseph Steinbugl, Conner Stroud, Noah Tepsic, Caroline Vance & Heidi Walls
- 2016 - Baylee DelBaggio, Nicholas Bonsell, Rae Bonsell, Matthew Breneman, Finnley Christine, John Chronister, Carly R. Crofcheck, Stephanie Cruis, Brandon C. Decker, Draven Fisher, Katrina Hagenbuch, Drew Hunter, Madison Knoll, Emily Long, Kacey Poorman, Cullen P. Raftery, Zacharia P. Soellner & Marissa Lee Sprankle
- 2017 - Elizabeth B. Brown, Alexis Cannistraci, Steven C. Colyer, Gavin Crispell, Hailey Durbin, Kasey Engle, Anthony Grassi, Michael Lewis, Joshua P. Maceno, Kenny McKernan, Bobbi Miller, Kara Mills, Cherah Mountz, Colby Pannebaker, Levi Raling, Mariah Simondale & Madalynn Veit
- 2018 - Aaron Bakhsheshe, Bryce Bauer, Chase Burke, Christian Fink, Derrick Harris, Jamal William Hicks, Grace Gensimore, RaShawn Hicks, Brandon Kemp, Emily Lehman, Jacob Meredith, Parker Mitchell, Zachary Patterson, Kyle Plummer, Noel Politza, Katelyn C. Richards, Rachel Robison, Rebekah Schleppey, Dylan Scott Thomas, Ryan Vance, Ethan Vipond, Payton Wagner & Zackery Webster
- 2019 - Richard Chronister, Andrew R. Ferguson, Isaac Jackson, Cory Lehman, James Lewis, Allison Miller, Corbin Moon, Logan Reader, Reilly Ronan, Sydney Shaw, Brooke Welsh & Ethan White
- 2020 - Marlyna L. Borman-Julian, Emily Detwiler, Madelyn Diebold, Lindsay Fusco, Brandon Homan, Caleb Orr, Keegan Raabe & Reagan Wood
- 2021 - Abraham Black, Elizabeth Buck, Michael Buck, Karly Diebold, Lyndsey Fleck, Dean Grassi, Brendan Grazier, Damon Gripp, Blaine Hoover, Garin Hoy, Hollie Keller, Nicholas Lewis, Brandon Lucas, Kendall Markley, Ella Pearson, Scott Sessmen, Shannon Shaw, Rodney Shultz, Jacob Taylor, Tyler Vanish, Dylan Vipond, Paige Webster, Shyanne Webster, Becca White & Madison Wineland
- 2022 - Jason E. Barr II, Emma Bartel, Clifford C. Beck, Maci Brodzina, Colton Luke Brooks, Michael J. Chronister, Aiden Coleman, Landen DeHaas, Gavin Frazell, Emma Getz, Jacob Greene, Keegan Gwinn, Jacob R. Johnson, David Lang, Nicholas Lehner, Marissa Lewis, Jaida Parker, Grace Peterson, Stephanie Ramsey, Cortlynd Rhoades, Kiara Rhoads, Cody Schneider, Maecy Tuskovich, Emily Watson, Jillian Williams & Jesse Yingling
- 2023 - Laci Daniel, Emma Dibert, Cathrine M. Ewing, Ross Gampe, Kayelin Gibbons, Hailey Houck, Zachary LeGars, Kolten Miller, Joshua Patterson, Nathaniel Patterson, Elizabeth Pearson, Ryan Seeger, Xena Sieminski, Kenneth Sorokie, Rayann Walls, Mikenzie Weaver & Jaden Williams



*Williamsburg Community High School*

- 2006 - Kelly Over & Elaine Saylor
- 2007 - Wade Pearson
- 2008 - Brandan S. Young
- 2009 - Lindsey Phelps
- 2010 - Jordan William Baker & Rebecca Shaw
- 2011 - Yolanda Rice
- 2013 - Emily Shaw
- 2014 - Danielle Delp
- 2015 - Kayla Baker, Haley England, Tyler Shaw & Bryce Young
- 2016 - Kaydi Brubaker
- 2017 - Silas S. Dishong & Noah Wheland
- 2018 - Brianna Heeter, Cassandra Michelone & Nicholas J. Michelone
- 2019 - Vannika Rice
- 2020 - Saxton T. Smith & Adam Uplinger
- 2021 - Elizabeth Frederick, Makayla Kipe, Gabriel Mingle & Taylor Uplinger
- 2022 - Ashley Brubaker
- 2023 - Justin Brubaker

**Zack Hinish Foundation Scholarships**

*Altoona Area High School*

- 2022 - Elly Eisel
- 2023 - Delaney Wisor

*Bellwood-Antis High School*

- 2013 - Abigail Bouslough
- 2014 - Olivia Gailey
- 2019 - Johanna B. Whiteford
- 2021 - Caitlyn McCartney

*Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*

- 2015 - Amanda Irwin
- 2017 - Alyssa N. Cumming & Lauryn Zelnosky

*Central High School*

- 2014 - Kelsey Alison Bechtel
- 2019 - Dylan Claycomb
- 2020 - Tamara Smith

*Claysburg Kimmel High School*

- 2023 - Gracie Eicher

*Hollidaysburg Area High School*

- 2018 - Veronica Helsel
- 2020 - Jordyn Burkey, Jakelyn J. Gardner & Kara Vyborny
- 2021 - Alhana Davis, Rita Kendziora, & Samantha Watson

- 2022 - Addison Harding
- Tyrone Area High School*
- 2015 - Lauren M. Patterson
  - 2016 - Kacey Poorman & Zacharia Soellner
  - 2018 - Faythe Lewis
  - 2020 - Logan M. Johnston

**The Jane Purdy Hite & Robert Lee Hite Scholarship**

*Greater Altoona Career and Technology Center*

- 2007 - Calvin Cuff
- 2008 - Todd Buechele
- 2009 - Scott Garlick
- 2010 - Cameron Price
- 2011 - Nicholas M. Bowser
- 2012 - Cory Willson-Kerns
- 2013 - Jonathan Snowberger
- 2014 - Joshua Gilbert
- 2015 - Lucas Nunamaker
- 2016 - Braden Curry
- 2017 - Noah J. Foor
- 2018 - Aleah Marie Emler
- 2019 - Nathan Wright
- 2020 - Kayden Tremmel
- 2021 - Nicholas Leberfinger
- 2022 - Ian Cox
- 2023 - Logan M. Steward



**Zachary S. Hoover Memorial Scholarship**

*Altoona Area High School*

- 2020 - Skyler Ketrow
- Bellwood-Antis High School*
- 2021 - Aiden Taylor
- Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*
- 2022 - Blane Davidson
  - 2023 - Conner William Ratchford
- Central High School*
- 2020 - Brant Kensingler

**HOSA Scholarship**

*Greater Altoona Career and Technology Center*

- 2014 - Katelyn Adams
- 2015 - Courtney Carter
- 2016 - Michala Cooney & Kayla McClain
- 2017 - Megan Streightiff

**Sandra K. Howe Scholarship**

*Juniata Valley High School*

- 2013 - Michelle Bailey
- 2014 - Amanda Hutchison
- 2015 - Samantha Spayd
- 2016 - Cassidy R. Kenepf
- 2017 - Nora Eileen Reihart
- 2018 - Sydney Reed
- 2019 - Stephanie Bishop
- 2020 - Kathryn Jo Hopsicker
- 2021 - Madison Lawn
- 2022 - Megan Belinda
- 2023 - Evangeline McGargle

**Fred N. Imler, Sr. Scholarship**

*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*

- 2006 - Kristina Kachur

**Fred & Joann Imler Scholarship**

*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*

- 2010 - Taylor Andrew McConnell
- 2011 - Nathan Detwiler
- 2012 - Lauren Craig
- 2013 - Matt Gregory
- 2014 - Austin G. Schobel
- 2015 - Joshua Pentz, Jr.
- 2016 - Timothy Campolong Jr. & Meaghan McEldowney
- 2017 - Kamrynn Wantz
- 2018 - Daniel C. Calvert
- 2019 - Mackenzie Rinker
- 2020 - Adam McCoy
- 2021 - Bela Paquignot
- 2022 - George W. Cummings IV
- 2023 - Tenley Otto

**Joe & Gina Itle Ag Science Scholarship**

*Central High School*

- 2020 - Victoria Longenecker
- 2021 - Madison Benfer
- 2022 - Katheryn Longenecker
- 2023 - Darcy Heltzel

**Rex H. Kaup Accounting Scholarship**

*Tyrone Area High School*

2023 - Brendan Grazier

*Williamsburg High School*

2023 - Marissa Harclerode

**Christopher P. Kopac Entrepreneurial Scholarships**

*Altoona Area High School*

2014 - McKenzie Madden

2015 - Daniel J. Reed

2016 - Sarah Waksmonski

2017 - Gavin J. Williamson

2018 - Kayley Mychael Burke

2019 - Victoria Cox

2020 - Olivia Waksmonski

2021 - Robert Mancinelli

2022 - William Young

2023 - Kaydn Carey

*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*

2014 - Ashton T. Gill

2015 - Jericho Hilling

2016 - Josh Cobler

2017 - Jarrod Piper

2018 - Daniel C. Calvert

2019 - Olivia DiPangrazio

2020 - Walter Wedel

2021 - Nadia Boston

2022 - Allison Burk

2023 - Ashden Stitt

**Jeff Koppel Memorial Scholarships**

*Ambridge Area High School*

2021 - Matthew Kowalsky

*Berwick Area High School*

2021 - Makayla Hartzel

*Cowanessque Valley High School*

2022 - Glenn Barnes

*Jersey Shore Area High School*

2023 - Breanna Corlew

*Warwick High School*

2022 - Hanna A. Abraham

*Wyoming Valley West Senior High School*

2023 - Jonathan Cardona

**Michael Kranich Sr. Scholarship in Memory of Syra Bettwy**

*Altoona Area High School*

2010 - Francesca Miranda

2011 - Miya Louise Cooper

2012 - Julia May Connelly

2013 - Anne Sherwood Keating

2014 - Destiny Don Eames

2016 - Fiona Lynch

2018 - Coby Jenna & Bernhart-Horton

2019 - KR Navarro

2020 - Anthony Pater

**Norma A. Lestochi Memorial Scholarship**

*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*

2000 - Kara Augenstein

2001 - Craig Wallace

2002 - Laura Karstensen

2003 - Megan Moore

2004 - Bridget Collins

2005 - Kristine Brown

2006 - Michael A. Heist

2007 - Jerica Fetzer

2008 - Jennifer Leigh Papp

2009 - Michael Pacifico

2010 - Emily Duman

2011 - Gretta Ghaner

2012 - Luke Roberts

2013 - Taylor McCreedy

2014 - Kimberly Cooper

2015 - Grant S. DeLozier

2016 - Kishan Patel

2017 - Kaylee Dunlap

2018 - Dane Holtz

2019 - Breonna Snowberger

2020 - Nick Helsel

2021 - Jerica Walters

2022 - Kristen Pappal

2023 - Regan Farringer

**Bessie Q. Levine Memorial Nursing Scholarship**

*Altoona Area High School*

2008 - Jessica E. Giarth

2010 - Kirsten Davidhizar

*Bellwood-Antis High School*

2007 - Tara Baughman

2011 - Brittany Lantz

2013 - Lauren Snyder

*Central High School*

2021 - Harley Glass

*Claysburg-Kimmel High School*

2012 - Danielle Mock

2019 - Cassidy Burket

*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*

2009 - Heather Alexas Claar

*Mount Aloysius College*

2003 - Marcia Warnock

*Penn State Altoona*

2005 - Heather M. Shura

*Tyrone Area High School*

2006 - Zoe Yeaton

2014 - Mariah Robison

2015 - Ivy Shea Bowser

2016 - Angela Wilkins

2017 - Allison M. Hosko

2018 - Erin McKenna

2020 - Brianna Foy

2022 - Lydia A. Irvin

2023 - Jaden Williams



**Jaelyn Marie Locktosh Memorial Scholarship**

*Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*

2002 - Diana Krepich

2003 - Mary Claire Curtis

2004 - Johanna Bender

2005 - Juliana Martha Estrada

2006 - Tessa Donnelly

2007 - Brianna Slates

2008 - Brigid Kapfhammer

2009 - Maura Murphy

2010 - Jessica Anne Campbell

2011 - Chelsea Kerr

2012 - Nathan Dorman

2013 - Michaela Harrison & Scotty Miller

2014 - Lindsie M. Welteroth

2015 - Nicholas Miller

2016 - Allison Bare

2017 - Devyn Yingling

2018 - Ryley Lewis

2019 - Mikaela Smith

2020 - Emily Kasun

2021 - Nicole Himes

2022 - Ava Adams

2023 - Matthew Woolridge

**E. Charles Makdad Memorial Scholarship**

*Altoona Area High School*

- 2011 - Patrick Stalter
- 2012 - David Tini
- 2013 - Emily Brumbaugh
- 2014 - Randall Arthur Longwill
- 2015 - Emily K. O'Donnell
- 2016 - Eric W. Yarnell
- 2017 - James O'Donnell
- 2018 - Natalie Hosley
- 2019 - Zane Taylor Esworthy
- 2020 - Aaron Bollman
- 2021 - Seth Brunnhuber
- 2022 - Lukas Caracciolo
- 2023 - Jack Kuhns

**Piotr Marciniak Memorial Scholarship**

*Greater Altoona Career and Technology Center*

- 2012 - Connor J. Campbell
- 2013 - Kandice Blazer
- 2014 - Megan Drummond
- 2015 - Ashley Winand
- 2016 - Samuel J. Young
- 2018 - Emily Pielmeier
- 2019 - Karley Buckrop
- 2020 - Mariah Marlett
- 2021 - Clinton Ball
- 2022 - Matthew Kennedy
- 2023 - Eli Wisor

**Robert G. Mardula Scholarship**

*Penn Cambria High School*

- 2023 - Leah Partner

**Jesse T. McElhinney Memorial Scholarship**

*Greater Altoona Career and Technology Center*

- 2014 - Laura Allison
- 2015 - Cordell Conner
- 2017 - Cherie J. Langenbacher

**David McGrath Memorial Award**

*Altoona Area High School*

- 2002 - Ryan Beers
- 2003 - Brendan Perretta
- 2004 - Stephen Shaffer
- 2005 - Zachary Charles Haulman
- 2006 - Morgan Olson
- 2007 - Dennis "DJ" Patterson III



- 2008 - Nikolas Christopher Rosenberry
- 2009 - Demetrius Greene
- 2010 - Christopher Samuel Carper
- 2011 - Ethan Van Wilt
- 2012 - Kristopher Mathew Henninger
- 2013 - Alois Jacob Steinbugl
- 2014 - Jaret Scott Berardinelli
- 2015 - James M. Metzgar, Jr.
- 2016 - Evan J. Lingafelt
- 2017 - Ryan M. Shope
- 2018 - John Wilson Gority
- 2019 - Mitchell Luciano
- 2020 - Brenden Shaffer
- 2021 - Aidan Palilla
- 2022 - Connor Reimer
- 2023 - Michael Riccio

**Medical Memorial Scholarship**

*Tyrone Area High School*

- 2023 - Ashlynn McKinney

**Nelson D. Metzger Memorial Basketball Scholarship**

*Central High School*

- 2014 - Austin Cunningham & Zachary Slagenweit
- 2015 - Alex Lafferty
- 2016 - Dylan Appleman
- 2017 - Jacob Muthler
- 2018 - Joey Smith
- 2019 - Thad Albright
- 2020 - Braden Kitt
- 2021 - Hunter Klotz
- 2023 - Eli Lingenfelter

**M. Eudora Meyers Scholarship**

*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*

- 2001 - Jonathon Wilbersheid
- 2002 - Andrea Patterson

- 2003 - Erin Bloom
- 2004 - Stephanie Erb
- 2005 - Tonee D. Byrnes
- 2006 - Jordan Schilling
- 2007 - Jennifer Kopriva
- 2008 - Tommi Ann Church
- 2009 - Zachary Seymour
- 2011 - Holly Mercer
- 2016 - Isabella Peroni
- 2017 - Jaden Parker
- 2022 - Kennedy Tewell
- 2023 - Katelyn Burke

**Brian Morden Foundation**

*Altoona Area High School*

- 2006 - John Lawlor & Megan Marcaurelle
- 2007 - Megan Lowery & Michael Moser
- 2008 - Kevin Longwill
- 2009 - Brooke McCready
- 2010 - Scott Barb, Elizabeth Hughes & Douglas A. Longwill
- 2011 - Paul Cassarly
- 2012 - Anna Bistline
- 2013 - Emily Brumbaugh & Colin Lingafelt
- 2014 - Matthew Eiman & Dean Maddox
- 2015 - Andrea Rose Wallack
- 2016 - Madison Frank & Shuwen Hou
- 2017 - Kyle Siskron-Leonard
- 2018 - Abigail Elizabeth Frank & Andrea Scott
- 2019 - Ian Gregory Brannan & Morgan Fleck (In memory of Kiera Chirdon)
- 2020 - Raquel Dunio & Makayla Grace Ruggery
- 2021 - Sophie Auker (in memory of Emma Auker) & Seth Brunnhuber
- 2022 - Justin M. Fleck (In memory of Kiera Chirdon)
- 2023 - Jack A. Kuhns & Emily Shehan

*Baldwin, NY*

- 2021 - Giancarlo Cusimano

*Bethel University*

- 2016 - Kallai Hokanson

*Brigham Young University*

- 2005 - Sarah Connelly

Chestnut Ridge High School  
2021 - Colten Allison (in memory  
of Heather Miller)

Christ Presbyterian Academy, TN  
2012 - Natalie Seale  
Drexel University

2003 - Geofferey Horvath  
Forestview High School, NC  
2013 - Kenna Holtzclaw

Indiana University of PA  
2003 - Brian Johnson  
Iron Mountain, MI

2021 - Alexandra Nicole Hagan  
Jacksonville, FL

2021 - Bryce A. Williams  
Lincoln-Way East High School, IL  
2009 - Rocco Catrone

Little Elm, TX  
2021 - Michael J. Scott  
Madison High School, ID  
2020 - Talon B. Crowther  
North Carolina School of Science &  
Mathematics

2011 - Griffin Lynch  
Philipsburg-Osceola High School

2014 - Hannah Kautz  
Pennsylvania State University  
2004 - Danica Meyers

San Diego, CA  
2021 - Mary Thies  
University of Pittsburgh

2004 - Joshua Applas  
Warren/Alvarado/Oslo High School, MN  
2007 - Christopher Riopelle

### **Brian Morden Foundation Scholarship for A Cancer Survivor**

Altoona Area High School

2013 - Erin P. Weaver  
2014 - Diana DeBernardis

2016 - Tyler McCloskey  
2018 - Abigail Fownes &  
Ariel Walton

2019 - Isaiah Barnes  
2020 - Jonah Seth Zolnak  
2022 - Isaiah Barnes, Elly Eisel,  
Marty J. Hoover, Jenna  
Williams & Jonah Seth  
Zolnak

2023 - Katelynn Ann Baker  
Bellwood-Antis High School  
2017 - Alexis Kensinger  
Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School  
2022 - Noah Wills

Chestnut Ridge High School  
2022 - Colten Allison  
Hendrickson Classical Academy,  
Kirklin, IN

2019 - Aidan D. Hendrickson  
Texas State Technical School  
2017 - CJ Mason

Tussey Mountain High School  
2022 - Jaden Gibson

### **Dawn Morden Scholarship**

Altoona Area High School

2023 - Angela Petrarca



### **Falon Marie Morris Scholarship**

Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School

2022 - Caleb Frailey &  
Madeline Waibel

2023 - Calyn Bainey, Neo Chen &  
Rachel Musselman

### **Amerigo P. and Ann T. Musto Memorial Scholarship**

Altoona Area High School

2022 - Connor Reimer

2023 - Ian Palilla

### **Sister Theresa Nelen Scholarships**

Altoona Central Catholic School

2007 - Daniel Baughman

2008 - Andrew Good

2009 - Ian Luther

2010 - Allison Taylor Bare

2011 - Mark Fanelli II

2012 - Madeline Reed

2013 - Michael Anthony Johnson

St. Michael the Archangel School

2014 - Teresa Haigh

2015 - Mason James Beiswenger

2016 - Sydney Greene

2017 - Jude Koehle

2018 - Trevor Fahr

2019 - Riley Diehl &  
Connor McMullen

2020 - Meghan McMullen &  
Trevor McMullen

### **Oakes Family Scholarship**

Altoona Area High School

2005 - Miriah Green

2014 - Jordan M. Kuhns

2017 - Ethan M. Wood

Bellwood-Antis High School

2007 - Natasha Ray

2011 - Matthew G. Rimmey

2016 - Anastasia Faith Shawley

Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School

2006 - Thomas R. Seasoltz

2008 - Toni R. Watt

2019 - Quintin P. Simanski

Central High School

2012 - Natalie Dawn Miller

2015 - Marin Shriver

2018 - Hannah Hallman

2020 - Lexa Weyant

2022 - Allee Keagy

Claysburg-Kimmel High School

2013 - Tyler R. Dodson

Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School

2000 - Holly Wilson

2002 - Danielle Fetzer

2009 - Amanda Zaebst

Tyrone Area High School

2023 - Josephine Mills

### **David O'Connell Memorial Scholarship**

Bellefonte Area High School

2022 - Victoria Royer

Penns Valley Area High School

2023 - Miles Brooks

### **The P. Jules and Pamela J. Patt Memorial Scholarship**

Altoona Area High School

2021 - Rylie Whitaker

Central High School

2022 - Luke Knisely

Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School

2020 - Walter Wedel

2023 - Abigail Steiner

### **Penn-Mont Academy Scholarship Trust**

Penn-Mont Academy

1998-2002 - Deanna Green

2003 - Marisa Ewing

2011 - Aaliyah Townsend

### **Marjorie J. Pennington Memorial Scholarship**

*Altoona Area High School*

- 2004 - Krystal Shore
- 2005 - Emily Anne Wisor
- 2006 - Megan Marcaurelle
- 2007 - Danielle Wallack
- 2008 - Brittany Spayd
- 2009 - Catherine Hommer
- 2010 - Denice Michelle Gordon
- 2011 - Alexis Marie Ebersole
- 2012 - Shalen Mae Perehinec
- 2013 - Adelynn Jeanne Rabold
- 2014 - Olga Maria Dorabiala
- 2015 - Emily E. Dell
- 2016 - Madison Frank
- 2017 - Sadie H. Rhyner
- 2018 - Coby Jenna Bernhart-Horton
- 2019 - Regan Baker
- 2020 - Gianna Caputo
- 2021 - Adalynn Cherry
- 2022 - Macy A. Yost
- 2023 - Samantha Abbott

### **Corey Joshua Pentz Memorial Scholarship**

*Greater Altoona Career and Technology Center*

- 2016 - Troy Benton

### **Christa Arseniu Pipta Memorial Scholarship**

*St. John's Catholic School*

- 2000 - Janelle Miller
- 2001 - Ryan Hindinger
- 2003 - Ashley Klobuka
- 2010 - Patrick Donoughe
- St. Patrick's Catholic School*
- 2005 - Zachary Wyles
- 2006 & 2007 - Adam Hughes
- 2010 - Brynee Baughman, Alexis Claar & Brandon Claar
- 2012-2014 - Alexis Claar

### **Harold L. Price Scholarship**

*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*

- 2003 - Christopher Michelone
- 2004 - Corey Gildea
- 2005 - Steve Drochek IV
- 2006 - Jarrod Prebola
- 2007 - John Zabinsky
- 2008 - Clifton A. Smith
- 2009 - Josh Jackson

- 2010 - Brandon Simpson
- 2011 - Chad Barton
- 2012 - Laret Miller
- 2013 - Eli Matthew Hargis
- 2014 - Erik Stern
- 2015 - Colton Ruggery
- 2016 - Michael H. Ollinger
- 2017 - Nolan Walters
- 2018 - Dylan Allison
- 2019 - Austin Weakland
- 2020 - Jaren T. Dick
- 2021 - Tyler Faber
- 2022 - Nathan Sell
- 2023 - Nicholas Burkey

### **Christina Hughes Purcell Memorial Scholarship**

*Altoona Area High School*

- 2015 - Lindsey Detwiler
- 2017 - Taylor Massey
- 2019 - Owen Kravetz
- 2021 - Leen Sulimon
- 2023 - Marin Cooney
- Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*
- 2016 - Mikayla Mignogna
- 2018 - Patrick Donoughe
- 2020 - Olivia Butler
- 2022 - Caitlyn Leigh McConnell

### **Michael Ratzesberger Memorial Scholarship**

*Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*

- 2001 - Tony Lonero
- 2002 - Chris Mathis
- 2003 - Guy Finelli
- 2004 - Patrick Britz
- 2005 - Aaron Schmitt
- 2006 - Kyler Roesch
- 2007 - Christian Mull
- 2008 - Andrew Anthony Passonetti
- 2009 - Jacob Dunning
- 2010 - Timothy Heiss
- 2011 - Nathan Andrew Dorman
- 2012 - Jextin Pugh
- 2013 - Ben Kasun
- 2014 - Nicholas Miller
- 2015 - Dakota Leamer
- 2016 - Andrew Irwin
- 2017 - Charles Patterson
- 2018 - Matthew Kenner
- 2019 - Ryan Negola
- 2020 - Alex Wood
- 2021 - Lucas Steinbugl
- 2022 - Patrick Haigh

### **Donald F. "Donnie" Rentz Memorial Scholarship**

*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*

- 2022 - Sarah Arshad
- 2023 - Rachel Musselman

### **Rotary Club of Tyrone Foundation Scholarship**

*Tyrone Area High School*

- 2012 - Jessica Berg & Ryan Meyers
- 2013 - Kelly Busche & Gary L. Putt
- 2014 - Kathleen Beck, Chantelle Barndt, Elizabeth Ditty, Casey Fisher & Erik Wagner
- 2015 - Ivy Shea Bowser & Molly LaPorte

### **Carl S. Russo Memorial Scholarship**

*Claysburg-Kimmel High School*

- 2022 - Rebekah Claar
- Williamsburg Junior Senior High School*
- 2023 - Liliana Neri

### **Joseph J. Schamris Memorial Scholarship**

*Greater Altoona Career and Technology Center*

- 2018 - Bradley Keagy
- 2019 - David George Campbell, Jr.
- 2020 - Andrew Beach
- 2021 - Nicholas Leberfinger
- 2022 - Brooke S. Langenbacher
- 2023 - Taylor Weston



### **Shafer Greaves Family Scholarships**

*Juniata College*

- 2015 - Sarah Albadri & Lyra E. Schroeder
- 2017 - Isaac Fisher
- 2018-2019 - Linda J. Cressman
- 2021 - Vanessa K. Ponder

2023 - Cole Michael Gross  
*Mount Aloysius College*  
 2020 - Lisa Fellabaum &  
 Mackenzie Sherry  
 2022 - Nathan Hryn  
*Penn State Altoona*  
 2015 - Rose Thornberry  
 2016 - Tyler L. Smith  
 2022 - Claudine Croyle  
 2023 - Michael A. Balmforth  
*Penn Highlands Community College*  
 2019 - Hannah Gladfelter &  
 Jesse Mangiacarne  
 2020 - Charity Millard  
 2021 - Joseph Mattern &  
 Justin Mauk  
 2023 - Meghan McMullen  
*St. Francis University / Penn Highlands  
 Community College*  
 2019 - Jennifer Yoder

**Jack Shaffer Scholarship**

*Central High School*  
 2004 - Nicholas Wills  
 2005 - Rachel Mingle  
 2006 - John Green  
 2008 - Megan Hall  
 2009 - Hannah Knauss  
 2011 - Connor Greenland  
 2012 - Levi Steward  
 2014 - Jordan Irvin  
 2015 - Joshua D. Blattenberger  
 2016 - Matthew Knauss  
 2018 - Hannah Smith  
 2019 - Katie Ponder  
 2020 - Clint Curfman  
 2021 - Josiah Logan  
 2022 - McCailey Flaugh  
 2023 - Annabel Shippey

**Donna Sheehan Nursing  
 Scholarship**

*Altoona Area High School*  
 2013 - Sarah L. Seidel  
 2014 - Diana DeBernardis  
*Bellwood-Antis High School*  
 2006 - Ashley M. Mueller  
*Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*  
 2009 - Erin Brennan  
 2022 - Caitlyn Leigh McConnell  
*Central High School*  
 2005 - Megan Sollenberger  
 2007 - Ashley Piper  
 2008 - Brittany L. Miller

2011 - Jordan Wismeyer  
 2020 - Morgan Balliet  
*Claysburg-Kimmel High School*  
 2004 - Kera Knisley  
 2016 - Kaitlyn D. Fluke  
*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*  
 2002 - Shelly Gearhart  
 2010 - Amanda Marquis  
 2017 - Victoria Grigg  
 2019 - Paige Jodon  
*Penn Cambria High School*  
 2003 - Faith Farabaugh  
 2012 - Jonathon Stoy  
 2021 - Morgan McConnell  
 2023 - Kiara Shepler  
*Tyrone Area High School*  
 2015 - Lyndsay Alexis Greene  
 2018 - Erin McKenna

**William & Joan Shiffler  
 Memorial Scholarship**

*Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*  
 2015 - Anthony J. Shank  
*Greater Altoona Career and  
 Technology Center*  
 2018 - Noah Jacob Reighard

**Rosalind Sky LOL (Love of  
 Learning) Future Educator  
 Scholarships**

*Altoona Area High School*  
 2020 - Gianna Marasco  
 2021 - Andrew Zupon  
 2022 - Jaiden Gottshall  
*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*  
 2020 - Darrek Harshberger  
 2021 - Rita Kendziora  
 2022 - Jenna Redinger  
 2023 - Tucker R. Rossman &  
 Ellen Yarnell

**John E. and Elaine M. Smith  
 Education Scholarship**

*Claysburg-Kimmel High School*  
 2017 - Samantha J. Fickes  
 2019 - Elisabeth Dodson  
 2020 - Maggie Knisely  
 2021 - Olivia Bushore  
 2022 - Brianna Mock &  
 Emma Shirk

**Edgar & Maureen Smithe  
 Scholarships**

*Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*  
 2011 - Jeffrey S. Holzer



2012 - Barbara Saad  
 2013 - Morgan Horell  
 2014 - Lindsie M. Welteroth  
 2015 - Hannah Carey  
 2016 - Sophia E. Griffin  
 2017 - Kathleen Price  
 2018 - Patrick Donoughe  
 2019 - Madeline Koehle  
 2020 - Rachel Sleeth  
 2021 - Jadie Litzinger  
 2022 - Lucas Steinbugl  
 2023 - Conner William Ratchford  
*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*  
 2011 - Adam Weaver  
 2012 - Teresa Kuhns  
 2013 - Matt Barton  
 2014 - Celena Turiano  
 2015 - Molly Garrity  
 2016 - Mohammed Ali  
 2017 - Joshua Lee  
 2018 - Elizabeth Catalano  
 2019 - Kristen Cherry  
 2020 - Rachel Ross  
 2021 - Sage Evans  
 2022 - Rylee Hileman  
 2023 - Madeline Shanafelt

**Scott Douglas Sparks  
 Memorial Scholarship**

*Altoona Area High School*  
 2009 - Caleb Angle  
 2013 - John A. Bufalini  
 2022 - Matthew Moyer  
*Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*  
 2010 - Miranda Wales  
 2019 - Madeline Koehle  
*Central High School*  
 2012 - Lindsey J. Smith  
*Claysburg-Kimmel High School*  
 2011 - Zachary Ray Burkett  
*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*  
 2008 - Nadine Schelling

- 2014 - Taylor Baum
- 2023 - Regan Farringer  
*Tyrone Area High School*
- 2015 - Jacob Makdad
- 2016 - Angela Wilkins
- 2017 - Paige L. Umholtz
- 2018 - Rachel Robison
- 2020 - Nicholas Vasbinder
- 2021 - Karly Diebold

**Todd Gardner Sparks  
Performing Arts Memorial  
Scholarship**

- Altoona Area High School*
- 2007 - Gina Volpe
- 2013 - Kaitlin J. Bodnar  
*Bellwood-Antis High School*
- 2018 - Jamilyn Daley  
*Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*
- 2008 - Angela Michelle Finelli
- 2021 - Ellie Irwin
- 2023 - Grace Broadrick  
*Central High School*
- 2020 - Clint Curfman  
*Claysburg-Kimmel High School*
- 2017 - Maria Knisely  
*Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School*
- 2009 - Zachary Weirich
- 2010 - Shannon Duffey
- 2011 - Holly Mercer
- 2014 - Eli Wood
- 2015 - McKennah Rabel
- 2019 - Elliott D. Bernard
- 2022 - Caleb Frailey  
*Tyrone Area High School*
- 2012 - Rebecca Fry
- 2016 - Sarah Isenberg

**Joseph T. & Dorothy  
E. Stasny Memorial  
Scholarships**

- Conemaugh School of Nursing*
- 2002 - Susan Long & Eva Meyer
- 2003 - Aaron Manfield &  
Ryan Weaver
- 2004 - Barrel Ferre &  
Jessica Hagerich
- 2005 - Robert Dill & Crystal Law
- 2006 - Jenny Richardson
- 2007 - Kathleen Curran &  
Katharine Weakland
- 2008 - Ryan Robertson
- 2009 - Nikole Knapp &  
Amanda Ream



- 2010 - Nicholas Freedman &  
Amy Mastrine
- 2011 - Nathaniel Detwiler &  
Kristie Williams
- 2012 - Christopher R. Carthew
- 2013 - Samantha Dibert &  
Rachel L. McCloskey
- 2014 - Tracey L. Evans &  
Tracy Kowalczyk
- 2015 - Caitlin DelGrande &  
Kara M. Hritz
- 2016 - Rebecca J. Grabill &  
Jill Helman
- 2017 - Alexis Novak &  
Crystal M. Sendek
- 2018 - Cara Cekada & Taylor Gruss
- 2020 - Kylie Debias
- 2021 - Katherine Instone &  
Sydney Richards
- 2022 - Mark S. Walker
- 2023 - Anthony Cornetti  
*Duquesne University*
- 2007 - Kourtnie McQuillen &  
Richard Nagy
- 2008-2011 - Rebecca Rummel &  
Michael Shedlock
- 2012 - Brittany Ann DeNeen &  
Erica L. Gray
- 2013 - Carlie Bodenschatz &  
Rebecca Rummel
- 2014-2016 - Carlie Bodenschatz &  
Brianna Luciano
- 2017-2019 - Alyxandra Ibarra &  
Nicolas Jozefczyk
- 2020 & 2021 - Makayla Yingling  
*Juniata College*
- 2002 - Michael Gehlmann
- 2004-2007 - Jessica Musselman
- 2008 - Nicole A. Hankinson
- 2009 & 2010 - Morgan Booher &  
Cory Kutruff

- 2011 - Cory Kutruff &  
Chloe M. Swanger
- 2012 - Chloe M. Swanger
- 2013 & 2014 - John A. Bufalini &  
Chloe M. Swanger
- 2015 & 2016 - John A. Bufalini
- 2017 - Chelsea Keller
- 2018 - Devyn Allmond
- 2019 - 2021 - Madison Faith
- 2022 - Brandie Ray &  
Joshua Martinek
- 2023 - Noah Stroup  
*Mount Aloysius College*
- 2002 - Donald Head &  
Patricia McConnell
- 2003 - Kayla Santell &  
Jaclyn Springer
- 2004 - Kristan Smith & Mark Weise
- 2005 & 2006 - Lisa Henry &  
Natasha Vingless
- 2007 - Kara Cochran & Lisa Henry
- 2008 - Kristopher Hansen &  
Krista Zahurak
- 2009 - Breana Beltowski &  
Valarie Corbin
- 2010 - Jenifer Pabrazinsky &  
Hannah Zimmerman
- 2011 - Melissa Gauntner &  
Brandis Wilt
- 2012 - Ashley Manges &  
Bradley M. Mikitko
- 2013 - Hannah M. Hoffman &  
Danielle L. Smith
- 2014 - Lindsay Talley &  
Shannon Weaver
- 2015 - Emily Dickman &  
Garrett Harrison
- 2016 - Aleasha Nagy
- 2017 - Lexie S. Wertz
- 2018 - Morgan Renee Glover
- 2019 - Grace Peachey
- 2020 - Sydney Shaffer
- 2021 - Kendra J. Hess
- 2022 - Devynn Frazee
- 2023 - Pailey Archey

**Aaron N. Stuckey Memorial  
Scholarships**

- Central High School*
- 2006 - Joshua Feathers
- 2007 - Stephen Rhodes
- 2008 - Samantha Gorman
- 2009 - Nathan Claar
- 2011 - Jordan Wismeyer



- 2012 - Kaden A. Bennett & Matt Ritchey
  - 2013 - Tiffany Pheasant
  - 2014 - Laura Ritchey
  - 2015 - Candis May Baker & Jessica M. Orczeck
  - 2016 - Austin Berkhimer
  - 2017 - Joshua McKnight, Jenna Metzler & Isaac Noel Snowberger
  - 2018 - Kenedi Berkhimer, Yvonne Longenecker, Blair Miller & Joey Smith
  - 2019 - Jordan C. Bowman
  - 2020 - Victoria Longenecker
  - 2021 - Hannah Knepp
  - 2022 - Faith Brumbaugh, Katheryn Longenecker & Vendala Weitzel
  - 2023 - Darcy Heltzel, Brynn Miller & Kade Rhule
- Greater Altoona Career and Technology Center*
- 2008 - Adam James Swope
  - 2010 - Justin Shuhayda
  - 2011 - Romeo J. DiBartolomeo III
  - 2012 - Zachary Burchfield
  - 2013 - Jerime Musselman Jr.
  - 2014 - Kyler Bender
  - 2015 - Zachary A. Patterson & Geoffrey Sosnowski
  - 2016 - Billy White
  - 2017 - Trent David Gearhart
  - 2018 - Kyle Fink
  - 2019 - Cameron Noll
  - 2020 - Jack Hileman
  - 2021 - Guy Leonard
- Northern Bedford County High School*
- 2006 - Zachary Hart
  - 2007 - Jared Bowser
  - 2008 - Jamie A. Reyan
  - 2009 - Leanna Sollenberger
  - 2010 - Tori Delozier & Samuel S. Mohr
  - 2011 - Kaytee Norris
  - 2012 - Michelle Browell
  - 2013 - Alyssa Dodson, Caleb Charles Ebersole & Jaylee Smith
  - 2014 - Mikayla Gates & Kenneth Shimer
  - 2016 - Courtney Bowser, Mary Messersmith & Jeffrey Norris II

- 2018 - Kaylee L. Weatherwalk
- 2019 - Hannah Bechtel
- 2020 - Thaddeus L. Kraucz, Taylor Miller & Allie Snider
- 2021 - Brooke Gochnour & Olivia Higgins
- 2022 - Richard Bolinger & Lindsey Koontz

**Teeter Group Foundation Scholarships**

- Bedford High School*
- 2018 - Hunter Hartung
  - 2019 - Dylan Arnold
  - 2020 - Emily Ruhlman
  - 2021 - Joseph Koontz
  - 2022 - Rylea Stayer
- Central High School*
- 2018 - Cassie Mock
  - 2019 - Kara Nichole Stultz
  - 2020 - Mason Baker
  - 2021 - Madison Benfer
  - 2022 - Joshua Waite
  - 2023 - Maya Hazenstab
- Everett Area High School*
- 2018 - Sydney Reffner
  - 2019 - Spencer A. Hood
  - 2020 - Lindsey G. Foor
  - 2021 - Annie Nave
  - 2023 - Denae Mobus
- Forbes Road High School*
- 2017 - Dylan Varney
  - 2018 - Courtney Schoen
  - 2019 - Grayson Hall
  - 2020 - Chauna Laemmermann
  - 2022 - Katie Waite
- Northern Bedford County High School*
- 2017 - Jacob A. Dasher
  - 2018 - Andrew Foor
  - 2020 - Stephanie Runyon
  - 2021 - Brooke Gochnour
  - 2022 - Matthew Hall
- Tussey Mountain High School*
- 2023 - Kelden Traxler
- Tyrone Area High School*
- 2021 - Dean Grassi
  - 2023 - Zachary LeGars

**Tyrone Education Foundation Scholarship**

- Tyrone Area High School*
- 2008 - Michael J. Moore
  - 2009 - Salena Bradigan
  - 2010 - Nathan Kruis

**Vale Wood Farms Ag Science Scholarship**

- Forest Hills Junior-Senior High School*
- 2021 - Amber Mayes
  - Penn Cambria High School*
  - 2023 - Emily Suchta

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- Williamsburg Jr./Sr. High School*
- 2022 - Morgan Reighard



**Arthur D. & Kay L. Walter Memorial Scholarship**

- Claysburg-Kimmel High School*
- 2019 - Richelle Brown
  - 2020 - Shadey Claycomb & Hayley M. Jenkins
  - 2021 - Gianna Cleveland & Madison Frye
  - 2022 - Cassie R. Berkhimer & Jessen Poullos
  - 2023 - Caleb Oakes
- Juniata College*
- 2020 - Justinna Brown

**S. Rodger Walters Educational Scholarship**

- Greater Altoona Career and Technology Center*
- 2010 - Dana Holliday
  - 2012 - Matthew Conrad
  - 2013 - Gregory Herr
  - 2014 - Shawn E. Lehner
  - 2015 - Ty Brayden Snyder
  - 2016 - Joshua S. McMillan
  - 2017 - Dylan M. Singer
  - 2018 - Derrick Harris
  - 2019 - David George Campbell, Jr.
  - 2020 - Nathan Kurtz
  - 2021 - Hannah Williams
  - 2022 - Kyle DeStefano
  - 2023 - Jacob Ponish

**Michael E. Ward Family Foundation Student Scholarship**

*Altoona Area High School*  
2020 - Josh Hollingshead

**Jayme Scott Wilt Memorial Scholarship**

*Altoona Area High School*  
2018 - Jessica Worley

**Wilt-Gillette Science Award**

*Central High School*  
2012 - Michaela Dempsie  
2013 - Krystle Pierce  
2014 - Benjamin Brumbaugh  
2015 - Rachel Brumbaugh & Brittany Miller  
2016 - Dylan Appleman & Matthew Knauss  
2017 - Ethan D. Kennedy & Hannah Kostan  
2018 - Lauren Dangel & Yvonne Longenecker  
2019 - Ashley Claar & Noah S. Muthler  
2020 - Austin Bridenbaugh & Lainie Heuston  
2021 - Dana Heltzel  
2022 - Vendala Weitzel  
2023 - Ella Garner & Kimberly Yingling

**Judith Winfield Hancock Foundation Scholarship**

*Great Commission Schools*  
2014 - Caleb L. Holton  
2015 - Ashleigh Ellingwood  
2016 - Emma Martinez  
2017 - Copper Ray  
2018 - Erin L. Korman  
2019 - Aliyah R. Kennedy  
2020 - Rachel Pascual  
2021 - Jessie Rain Waters  
2022 - Jackson Mauk  
2023 - Sam Higgins

**The Patrick Wise Sr. Memorial Scholarship**

*Bishop Guilfoyle Catholic High School*  
2023 - Owen Dombrosky  
*Claysburg-Kimmel High School*  
2022 - Bailey Garver  
*Great Commission Schools*  
2021 - Jonathan Tuggy



**WISE Women of Blair County Scholarship**

*Altoona Beauty School*  
2013 - Christie Bee Jordan  
*California University of PA*  
2020 - MaRinda Smith  
*Chamberlin University*  
2021 - Jean Jones  
*Excelsior College*  
2011 - Marcia Salyards  
2014 - Jean Jones  
*Greater Altoona Career and Technology Center*  
2010 - Debra A. Miller  
2011 - Courtney Cruthers  
*Indiana University of Pennsylvania*  
2013 - Charlene Adams  
2016 - Sarah A. Edmiston  
*Juniata College*  
2020 & 2021 - Vanessa Ponder  
2022 - Alyssa Reed  
*Lock Haven University*  
2016 - Erin Weaver  
*Mount Aloysius College*  
2013 - Erin Cicero & Elizabeth Dilly  
2017 - Tori Lynn McClosky  
2020 & 2021 - Lisa Fellabaum  
2021 - Kierstin Hogan  
*Penn Highlands Community College*  
2016 - Mary Ann Cowfer  
2017 - Janice Jorge Matos & Annette M. Thompson  
2018 & 2019 - Adrienne Ford & Annette M. Thompson  
2020 & 2021 - Casey Mabry  
2021 - Annette McGahan  
*Penn State Altoona*  
2010 - Tiffany Parker & Morgan Naomi Zajac  
2012 - Allyssa Baker, Evelyn Ta’Nish Me’Anne Erickson, Chelsea Laret, Jennina Rose Pratt,

Sarah Blanche Rosser & Justine Shultz  
2013 - Kelly Irwin, Patty Keith & Ashley O’Leary  
2014 & 2015 - Tracie Cobb Irvin & Casey M. Fisher  
2016 & 2017 - Tracie Cobb Irvin  
2018 & 2019 - Stephanie Sierra  
2020 - Makala Doyle, Tammy Knode & Julie Ralston  
2021 - Tammy Knode, Julie Ralston & Alicia Williams

*St. Francis University*  
2017 & 2018 - Mary Anne Cowfer & Theresa Wilkinson  
2019 - Mary Anne Moore & Theresa Wilkinson  
2020 & 2021 - Toni Tremmel  
*Strayer University*  
2022 - Desire Jenkins  
*South Hills School of Business & Technology*  
2010 - Laine E. Roland  
2022 & 2023 Alina Kukotina  
*West Virginia Junior College*  
2021 - Grace Andre  
*YTI Career Institute*  
2011 - Kathleen M. Blontz  
2012 - Olamae Juanita Mathis  
2013 - Sarah R. Wingert

**Donna D. Gority Scholarship (A WISE Women Scholarship)**

*Mount Aloysius College*  
2017 - Maliqua K. Walker

**George Woomer Memorial Scholarship**

*Greater Altoona Career and Technology Center*  
2020 - Trent Prosser  
2022 - Joshua Merritts  
2023 - Andrew R. Nycum

**Adam Zook Memorial Scholarships**

*Tyrone Area High School*  
2021 - Garin Hoy & Chesney Saltsgiver  
2022 - Mackenzie Latchford, Ellie Oakes & Stephanie Ramsey  
2023 - Reagan Irons, Ashlynn McKinney & Kolten Z. Miller

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